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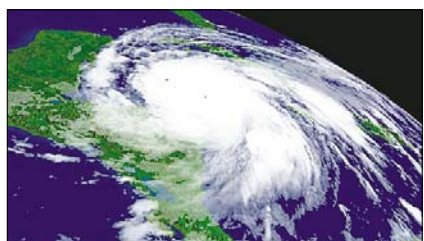
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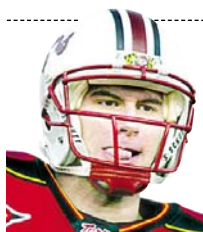
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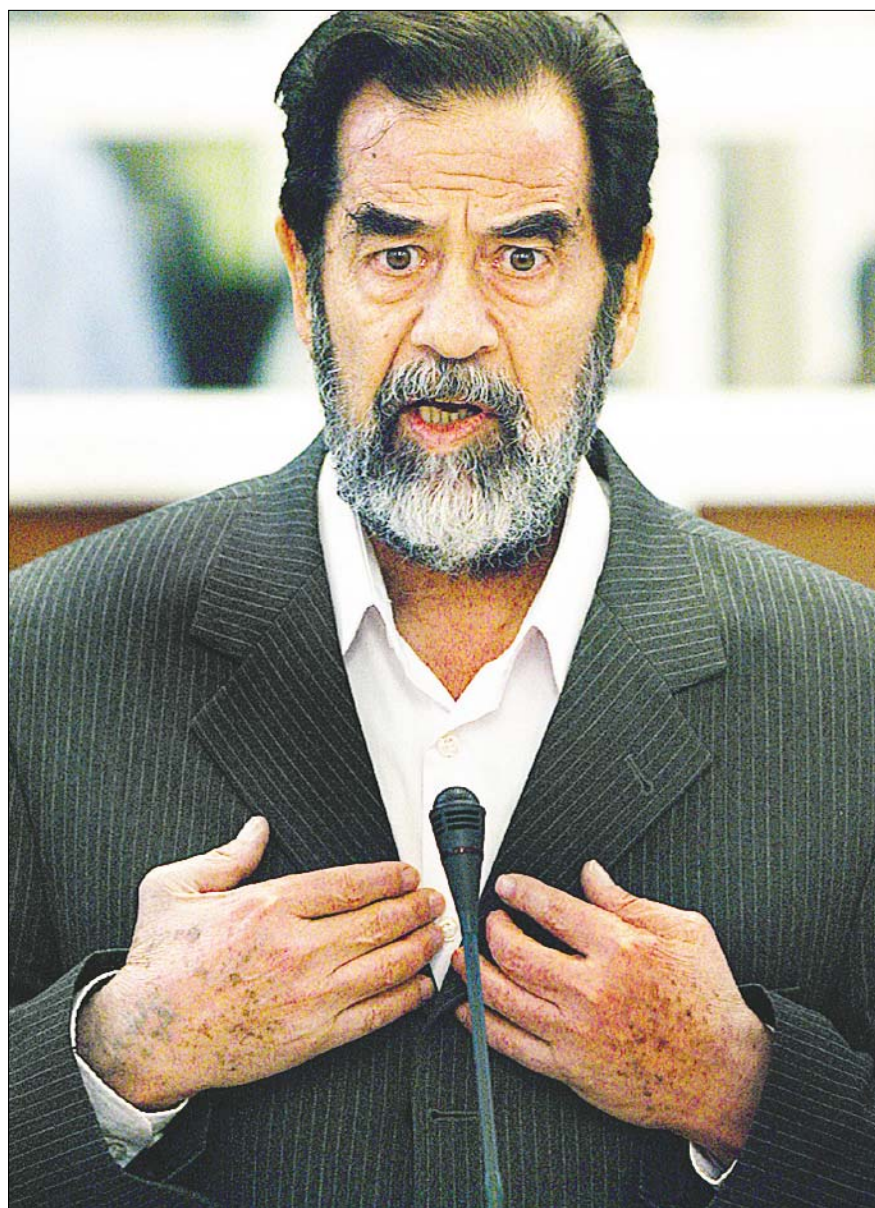


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Saddam Still Defiant

COURTROOM THEATRICALS: Though appearing gaunt, Saddam Hussein was defiant from the start as his long-awaited trial got under way in Baghdad on Wednesday. The former Iraqi leader pleaded not guilty to charges including premeditated murder and torture, argued with judges and scuffled with guards. He and seven former members of his regime could face execution if convicted in the 1982 massacre of nearly 150 Shiites in the town of Dujail. ♦ **Tense exchange:** Saddam vs. the judge | **Page 5**

Big Break In Cancer Research

Drug shows 'jaw-dropping' efficacy for some women

BOSTON | A drug that targets only diseased cells has proved astonishingly effective against an aggressive form of early breast cancer — a long-sought breakthrough that has doctors talking about curing thousands of women each year in this country alone.

The drug, Herceptin, is already used for advanced cancer. But in three studies involving thousands of women with early-stage disease, it cut the risk of a relapse in half. Several experts used words like "revolutionary," "stunning" and "jaw-dropping" to describe the findings.

"In 1991, I didn't know that we would cure breast cancer, and in 2005, I'm convinced we have," exulted Dr. Jo Anne Zujewski, head of breast cancer therapeutics at the government's National Cancer Institute.

However, an official at the American Cancer Society warned that it is far too early to suggest this amounts to a cure, since the women studied were followed for only three years at the most. Moreover, Herceptin is only for the estimated 20 percent of breast cancer cases in which tumors churn out too much of a protein known as HER2.

About 30,000 American women will probably be taking Herceptin for breast cancer within a couple of years, curing perhaps 7,000 who would otherwise relapse, some doctors predicted. **JEFF DONN (AP)**

CANCER FACTS

→ **About 200,000** women are diagnosed with breast cancer each year in the United States.
→ **About 40,000** die from the disease.

BLUE LAWS | **Not Being Constructive** Spring Hill, Tenn., aldermen are facing a decision over whether to go after do-it-yourself enthusiasts who violate an ordinance banning construction work on Sundays. According to city code, no construction



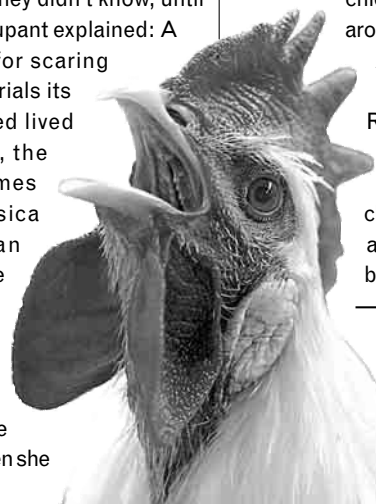
work of any kind can be done on Sundays. City administrator Ken York now says he needs direction from the Board of Mayor and Aldermen on whether it is illegal for residents to paint or do other home improvement projects on Sunday. **(AP) EyeOpeners | Page 2**

eyeOpeners

LEFT-BEHINDS

2 BR, 3 BA, No Aliens

Tenants moving into a Davenport, Iowa, home found what appeared to be an explosive device in a box Sunday. A bomb squad was called, and, after investigating, said it wasn't a bomb. What was it? They didn't know, until the former occupant explained: A device meant for scaring off extraterrestrials its builder believed lived in the ground, the Quad-City Times reported. Jessica Harper said an acquaintance who "was a little off his rocker" sent her the device a year ago, and she left it behind when she moved. (AP)



GAMES

Not as Fun as 'Hurl the Hamster' Anyway

The Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals is denouncing a new toy called "Choke The Chicken," in which children squeeze a dancing chicken's neck until it flaps around like it's gagging, the Australian Associated Press reported. RSPCA spokesman Michael Beatty said the organization fears children could imitate the action and strangle a pet bird, cat or dog. The toy — made by Dahyang Industrial Company Limited — is promoted as suitable for children older than the age of 3. (EXPRESS)

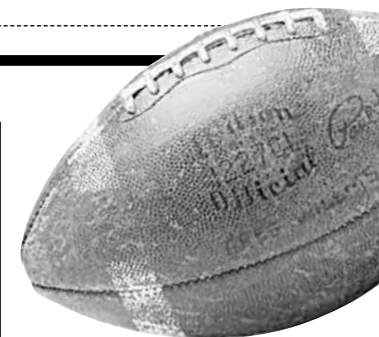


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DISORDERS

Let Sleepy Dogs Lie

What should be some of a dog's greatest joys in life have become something of a burden for Skeeter. Eating, chasing a squirrel, going for a walk, or even sniffing another dog all have the same effect on the 11-pound toy poodle from Chubbuck, Idaho: He's out cold. "He has no personality right now," his owner, Shari Henderson, said. "It is scary. I don't want him turning into a couch pillow." Skeeter's condition, narcolepsy, is extremely rare in dogs. (AP)



QUITTERS

It's Not Whether You Win ... Aw, Forget It

This weekend's homecoming events for Coral Shores High School in Tavernier, Fla., have been postponed. Not because of the hurricane, but because its opponent's entire football season was called off after most of the players quit, the Florida Keys Keynoter reported. "I've never heard of this happening," said Coral Shores athletic director Rich Russell. Doral Academy saw its season-opening roster of 45 players shrink to 14 after last week's 63-0 loss. Doral also lost its season opener 70-0. All in all, the team was outscored 299-0 through six games. (EXPRESS)

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WARRANT ISSUED: A Texas court issued an arrest warrant Wednesday for Rep. Tom DeLay, requiring him to appear for booking on conspiracy and money laundering charges. The court set \$10,000 bail as a routine step ahead of a court appearance Friday.

Nation

Hurricane Breaks Intensity Records

Floridians scramble to evade monster storm

NAPLES, FLA. | In what has become an all-too-familiar drill, Floridians boarded up windows, gassed up their cars and bought storm supplies Wednesday. But this time they were looking at the most intense hurricane ever recorded in the Atlantic.

Hurricane Wilma exploded into a Category 5 monster with winds of 160 mph, and forecasters warned it could smash into southwestern Florida on Saturday with towering waves, and then work its way up the East Coast with devastating effect.

Like Hurricanes Katrina and Rita earlier this season, Wilma was

expected to weaken before coming ashore. But after seeing what those storms did — and after four storms hit Florida in quick succession last year — many were taking no chances.

Officials began clearing tens of thousands of people out of the low-lying Florida Keys.

"We had well over a 1,000 lives lost in Katrina. If Wilma, you know, comes into the U.S., to the Florida coast as a Category 3 or 4 hurricane, that potential for large loss of life is with us," National Hurricane Center Director Max Mayfield said.

At one point Wednesday, Wilma's



EARLY PROTECTION: Jim Cox cuts plywood to hang on the windows of a Islamorada, Fla., realty company as residents prepare for a possible strike by Hurricane Wilma.

pressure dropped to 882 millibars, the lowest reading ever measured in an Atlantic basin hurricane. Typically, the lower the pressure, the faster air rushes into a storm.

The storm's forward motion appeared to be slowing somewhat Wednesday, which could weaken the hurricane further and possibly delay Wilma's landfall until Saturday evening, Mayfield said. Wilma was on a path that could threaten the areas hit last year by Hurricane Charley.

The White House promised to stay on top of the situation, hoping to avoid a repeat of the slow initial response to Katrina. The Federal Emergency Management Agency was positioning emergency materials in Jacksonville, Lakeland and Homestead. CURT ANDERSON (AP)

HEARSAY | MINIMUM WAGE FIGHT



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Beignets Are Back at La. Landmark

NEW ORLEANS | Beignets are on the menu again in New Orleans, signaling another step in the emotional and economic recovery of a city devastated by Hurricane Katrina and subsequent flooding.

The landmark Cafe Du Monde reopened Wednesday for the first

time since it was shuttered Aug. 27 as the storm approached New Orleans.

Mayor Ray Nagin and other local leaders were among those to sample the restaurant's beignets, the sugary, French-style doughnuts made according to a recipe brought to Louisiana by the Acadians. (AP)

Senator: Info From Miers 'Insufficient'

Nominee's answers to committee questions told little, Specter says

WASHINGTON | The senators in charge of Harriet Miers' confirmation are demanding more information from her before hearings begin, with one lawmaker describing the Supreme Court nominee's answers so far as "incomplete to insulting."

The chairman of the Senate Judiciary Committee, Sen. Arlen Specter, and the top Democrat, Sen. Patrick Leahy, agreed on Wednesday to begin Miers' hearings on Nov. 7. Specter, R-Pa., and Leahy, D-Vt., also sent a letter to the



Judiciary Committee chief Arlen Specter and ranking Democrat Patrick Leahy take questions on Wednesday.

White House counsel asking her to more fully answer a questionnaire she submitted Tuesday.

Specter and Leahy said Republicans and Democrats on

"This is going to be an unusual hearing where I think all 18 senators are going to have probing questions."

Sen. Arlen Specter on the Harriet Miers confirmation | Today, Page A1

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the committee felt that Miers did not tell them enough.

"The comments I have heard range from incomplete to insulting," Leahy said. Specter said he and Leahy "took a look at it and agreed that it was insufficient."

Miers, in a letter Wednesday, said she would "work to provide additional materials to the committee." (AP)

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"We have the most significant challenge of any city in American history, and they are dismissing ideas ad nauseam."

—New Orleans Mayor Ray Nagin, dropping a plan for a casino district opposed by some politicians.

Rice: 10-Year Stay In Iraq Possible

Secretary of State doesn't rule out use of force in Iran, Syria

WASHINGTON | Secretary of State Condoleezza Rice declined on Wednesday to rule out American forces still being needed in Iraq a decade from now. Senators warned that the Bush administration must play it straight with the public or risk losing public support for the war.

Pushed by senators from both parties to define the limits of U.S. involvement in Iraq and the Middle East, Rice also declined to rule out the use of military force in Iran or Syria, although she said the admin-

istration prefers diplomacy.

"I don't think the president ever takes any of his options off the table concerning anything to do with military force," Rice said.



Rice

Rice appeared before the Senate Foreign Relations committee for only the second time since members gave her an unexpectedly tepid endorsement to replace Colin Powell in January, and she fielded pointed questions about U.S. intentions and commitment on Iraq from lawmakers who said they are hearing complaints at home. ANNE GEARAN (AP)

GEORGETOWN, TEXAS | UNPLANNED LANDING



UPENDED: A FedEx plane rests upside down on a house in Georgetown, Texas, on Wednesday, after losing power and crashing late Tuesday. The pilot was hospitalized with minor injuries. No one on the ground was hurt.

Chertoff Grilled Over Hurricane

Better planning can fix FEMA, Homeland Security secretary says

WASHINGTON | Most of FEMA's problems in dealing with disasters can be fixed with better planning, Homeland Security Secretary Michael Chertoff told Congress on Wednesday.

Testifying before a special House committee created to probe the slow federal response to Katrina, Chertoff deflected questions about his own actions by telling lawmakers he had relied on Federal Emergency Management Agency experts with decades of experience in hurricane response.

"I'm not a hurricane expert," he said repeatedly.

Chertoff, a former prosecutor and Justice Department official, took over the Homeland Security Department in February. A department-wide review he ordered was under way when Katrina hit, killing more than 1,200 people, flooding New Orleans and forcing the evacuation of hundreds of thousands of people. DAVID PACE (AP)

In Brief

BAY ST. LOUIS, MISS.

Discovery of Bodies Brings Katrina Death Toll to 1,281

Four more bodies have been found in debris from Hurricane Katrina, pushing Mississippi's death toll to 228, a Gulf Coast coroner reported.

The additional bodies bring to 1,281 the number of people lost to Katrina. Death tolls reported by state and local officials as of Wednesday in other states are: Louisiana, 1,035; Florida, 14; Alabama, 2; and Georgia, 2. (AP)

FRESNO, CALIF.

Frozen Body Believed to Be Remains of WWII Airman

Two climbers on a Sierra Nevada

glacier discovered an ice-encased body believed to be that of an airman whose plane crashed in 1942. Park rangers and specialists camped on the mountainside in freezing weather for an excavation expected to take several days. The body was 80 percent encased in ice. Park officials say the serviceman may have been part of the crew of an AT-7 training plane that crashed on Nov. 18, 1942. (AP)

CAPE CANAVERAL, FLA.

Hubble Telescope Searches For Moon Landing Sites

The Hubble Space Telescope has taken a rare look at the moon to gauge the amount of oxygen-bearing minerals in the lunar soil that could be used in a new moon mission, NASA said Wednesday. The space agency hopes to return astronauts to the moon by 2018. (AP)



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TRAVEL LOG: Asia stands to compete with Europe for vacationers, as the global tourism industry is set to double to 1.6 billion tourists by 2020, a European group reports. Asia is increasingly offering hotels and other facilities of better quality.

World

Defiant Saddam Pleads Not Guilty

In courtroom drama, former Iraqi leader rejects court's authority

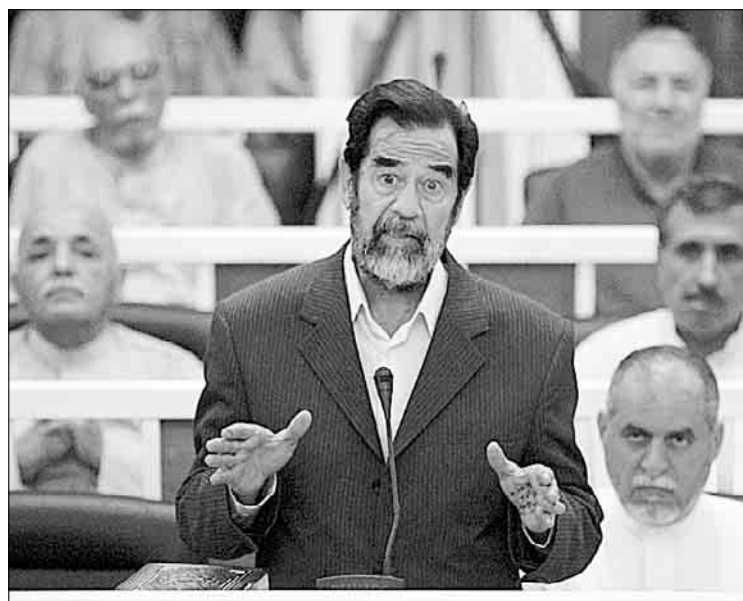
BAGHDAD, IRAQ | A defiant Saddam Hussein quarreled with judges and scuffled with guards at the opening of his long-awaited trial Wednesday, rejecting the tribunal's right to judge him and insisting he is still the president of Iraq.

Sitting inside a white pen with metal bars, Saddam appeared gaunt and frail as he pleaded innocent to charges of murder, torture, forced expulsions and illegal detentions.

If convicted, the 68-year-old Saddam and seven of his regime's henchmen who appeared with him in the hearing could face the death penalty for their role in the 1982 killing of nearly 150 people from the mainly Shiite town of Dujail after a failed attempt on Saddam's life.

Wednesday's session, held under tight security, was testy from the start when the judge asked Saddam to take the stand first.

Saddam got up from his chair, holding a copy of the Koran. He refused to state his name for the record and turned the question back on the presiding judge, Rizgar Mohammed Amin, a Kurd.



Saddam Hussein speaks to the judge with his co-defendants sitting behind him.

ELSEWHERE IN IRAQ

● **THE BRITISH** newspaper The Guardian said Wednesday that one of its reporters has disappeared in Iraq and it believes he was kidnapped. Rory Carroll, 33, an Irish citizen, was on assignment when he vanished.

● **INSURGENTS** kill 26 people in attacks in Iraq, including six Shiites who were lined up at a factory and gunned down in front of their fellow workers in Iskandariyah, police say. (AP)

"Who are you? I want to know who you are," Saddam demanded.

After repeatedly refusing to give his name, Saddam finally sat. Amin read his name for him, calling him the "former president of Iraq."

"I said I'm the president of Iraq," Saddam snapped back. "I did not say deposed."

Later, Saddam exchanged greetings with other defendants during a break. He then asked to step out of the room, but when two guards tried to grab his arms to escort him out, he angrily shook them off.

The session ended with Amin announcing an adjournment until Nov. 28. HAMZA HENDAWI (AP)



People in Havana, Cuba, fill gas tanks in preparation for Hurricane Wilma.

Caribbean Nations Prepare for Worst Of Wilma's Wrath

SAN PEDRO SULA, HONDURAS | Hurricane Wilma, the most intense storm the Americas have ever seen, blasted Caribbean coastlines on Wednesday. With 12 people already dead, alarmed officials began evacuations from Honduras to the Florida Keys.

Local officials ordered evacuations from low-lying areas in a 600-mile swath covering Cuba, Belize, Honduras, Jamaica, Haiti and the Cayman Islands. Much of Central America is still recovering from Hurricane Stan, which left more than 1,500 people dead or missing.

The Category 5 storm was on a curving course that could carry it through the channel between Cuba and Mexico on Friday. (AP)

Rumsfeld: China Gives 'Mixed Signals'

BEIJING | Complaining of "mixed signals" from China, U.S. Defense Secretary Donald H. Rumsfeld said Wednesday the communist government must demonstrate more clearly its interest in improving relations with the United States. He also lectured Communist Party officials on democracy and free speech.

Rumsfeld cited a "rapid, non-transparent" buildup of the Chinese military and said this makes other countries, including the United States, wonder whether Beijing will hold to a peaceful path.

Rumsfeld also became the first foreigner to visit the headquarters of the Second Artillery, which has

commanded China's strategic nuclear missile force since 1966.

On his first visit to China as defense secretary, Rumsfeld delivered an address to the Central Party School and fielded questions from several students and faculty members. The school is a key training ground for people the Communist Party considers its rising stars and future leaders. (AP)

Gunmen Attack Afghan Schools

KABUL, AFGHANISTAN | Gunmen shot dead a headmaster in front of students and killed a school guard and dumped his body in a stream in separate attacks on schools in southern Afghanistan, unusual targets in a region wracked by rebel violence,

officials said Wednesday.

Insurgents also shot and killed a district government chief as he prayed in a mosque, they said.

In the capital, meanwhile, officials released more results from last month's legislative elections. Among the new winners was a notorious warlord, a former journalist for British radio and a young woman famed for her beauty. (AP)



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The amount of paid paternity leave new dads in Britain could be eligible for under a new bill backed by the government. If OK'd by lawmakers, the bill would also extend maternity leave to nine months.

Bird Flu Outbreaks Spread

Russia, China detect fresh cases of virus as precautions continue

MOSCOW | Preliminary tests on fowl from a region south of Moscow where hundreds of birds died suddenly detected a deadly strain of bird flu, Russia said Wednesday, bolstering signs that the dreaded virus might be spreading across Siberia to the Mediterranean.

The United Nations' Food and Agriculture Organization warned of a marked increase in chances that bird flu would move to the Middle East and vulnerable Africa as well, while the European Union announced plans for an exercise simulating a human flu pandemic to improve readiness in case the bird virus mutates to form transmissible among people.

In Asia, crucible of the virus, China on Wednesday reported a fresh outbreak of the lethal H5N1 flu strain. The official Xinhua



TOUGH TASK: A farmer in Mogila, Macedonia, watches on Wednesday as a team takes away a bag of his chickens that were culled as a precaution against bird flu.

news agency said 2,600 birds in the northern grasslands had died of the disease. It did not give details and sought to reassure the public that the outbreak was contained.

The H5N1 strain was detected in Siberia in July. Migratory birds flying over the region from elsewhere in Asia were blamed for the

outbreak, and the virus had been registered in six districts in Siberia and the Urals region.

The H5N1 strain of bird flu has killed 60 people in Asia, but no one in Russia has been diagnosed with it, officials said. Most human cases have been traced to direct contact with infected birds. (AP)

Quake Death Estimate Increases to 79,000

BALAKOT, PAKISTAN | The death toll soared to 79,000 Wednesday from South Asia's mammoth earthquake, following a survey of one of the two hardest-hit Pakistani regions — making it one of the deadliest quakes in modern times.

More aftershocks rattled the region, sending up huge clouds of dust from mountain valleys where villages lie in pieces.

In remote mountains, a steady flow of injured villagers continued to seek medical attention. Many had infected wounds, untreated since the Oct. 8 temblor, and had to rely on relatives to carry them for hours on foot to makeshift clinics.

More than 60 helicopters were dropping relief supplies, and mule trains were pushing into areas where no helicopters can land.

"Many people out there, we are not going to get to in time," said Rob Holden, the U.N. disaster



An injured girl is lifted from a helicopter after evacuation from a remote village.

coordinator in Pakistan's part of Kashmir.

The central government updated its death toll to 47,700, but regional authorities gave much higher figures, based on information trickling in from outlying areas and as more bodies were pulled from the rubble. MATTHEW PENNINGTON (AP)

In Brief

DUBLIN, IRELAND Panel Determines IRA Still Part of Criminal Activities

The Irish Republican Army has ceased many threatening activities, including vigilante attacks and training new members, but remains involved in criminal rackets that will prove difficult to suppress, international experts said Wednesday in a long-awaited report. The findings came from a panel that assesses the activities of the IRA and other outlawed paramilitary groups. (AP)

SANTIAGO, CHILE Top Court Strips Pinochet of Immunity in Corruption Case

Chile's Supreme Court on Wednesday stripped former dictator Gen. Augusto Pinochet of immunity from prosecution for corruption charges related to his bank accounts overseas. Pinochet, 89, has been stripped of his immunity before, but always in cases stemming from human rights abuses. (AP)

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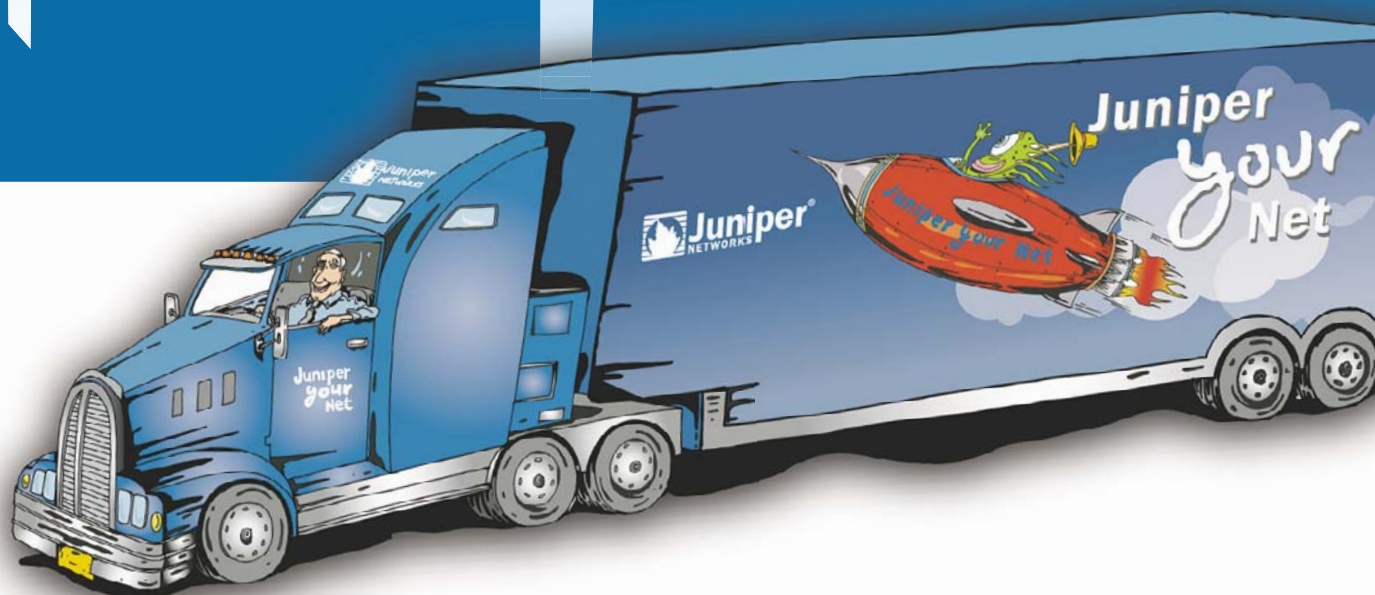
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Money

Google Library Plan Draws Suits

Publishers' group joins legal battle over bid to index books on Web

NEW YORK | Just weeks after a leading authors' organization sued Google Inc. for copyright infringement, the Association of American Publishers has also filed suit against the search engine giant's plans to scan and index books for the Internet.

Under the Google Print Library Project, millions of copyrighted books from five major libraries — including the University of Michigan and the New York Public Library — will be indexed on the Internet unless the copyright holder notifies the company by Nov. 1 about which volumes should be excluded. A few sentences from each book would be viewable, but could not be printed or downloaded.



Search engine giant Google is under fire for its plan to scan millions of books.

Google has called the project an invaluable chance for books to receive increased exposure.

But in papers filed Wednesday in a Manhattan court, the publishers association sought a ruling that would support an injunction against illegal scanning and cited the "continuing, irreparable and imminent harm publishers are suffering ... due to Google's willful (copyright) infringement to further its own commercial purposes." (AP)

Fed Survey Finds Growth in Economy

WASHINGTON | Most of the country managed decent economic growth in September and early October even amid soaring energy prices from hurricanes Katrina and Rita, the Federal Reserve report-

ed Wednesday.

The Fed survey, the latest snapshot of business activity nationwide, is based on bank information collected before Oct. 11. The report will figure into the discussions of Fed

polymakers at their next meeting on Nov. 1, when it is likely they will continue raising interest rates.

Private economists believe fallout from the hurricanes will reduce growth over the rest of the year by as much as a full percentage point. (AP)

Market Action

New York Stock Exchange

Gainers

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	DAILY PERCENT CHANGE
PiperJaf	32.00	+3.44	+12.0
EnCana s	52.56	+4.67	+9.8
BlackRock	91.60	+7.91	+9.5
DanaCp	7.56	+5.59	+8.5
Checkpnt	24.20	+1.88	+8.4

Losers

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	DAILY PERCENT CHANGE
BKF Cap If	17.11	-7.41	-30.2
LLE Ry	2.17	-.41	-15.9
Quiksilvr s	11.25	-1.75	-13.5
SmedvB	14.22	-1.88	-11.7
HNI Corp	49.15	-6.05	-11.0

NASDAQ Stock Market

Gainers

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	DAILY PERCENT CHANGE
Lufkin s	45.74	+8.47	+22.7
Gentex s	18.94	+3.10	+19.6
Ault Inc	2.20	+.34	+18.3
Brilliant	5.71	+.87	+18.0
ICU Med	32.52	+4.82	+17.4

Losers

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	DAILY PERCENT CHANGE
MeritMed	13.00	-2.15	-14.2
Entrust	4.48	-.69	-13.3
Valentis	2.11	-.28	-11.7
AHPC Hld	3.61	-.44	-10.9
USANA H	42.98	-4.84	-10.1

Rates

	CURRENT	PREVIOUS WEEK
Prime Rate	6.75	6.75
Fed Funds close	3.75	3.75
3-month	3.77	3.63
2-year	4.24	4.24
10-year	4.47	4.45
30-year	4.69	4.66

Currency (Dollars in foreign currency)

	TODAY	PREVIOUS DAY	YEAR AGO
British Pound	.5677	.5717	.5547
Canadian Dollar	1.1743	1.1796	1.2568
European Euro	.8350	.8368	.7988
Japanese Yen	115.47	115.65	108.41
Mexican Peso	10.8690	10.8210	11.4290
Taiwanese Dollar	33.64	33.54	33.84

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+1.25	+1.71	+1.50
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Bank Stocks

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	YEAR TO DATE PERCENT CHANGE
AustNZ	87.95	+.60	+8.7
BcoSnCH	12.98	+.13	+4.9
BkofAm	42.44	+.87	-9.7
BkNova g	36.13	+.58	+6.7
Citigrp	44.89	+.43	-6.8
DeutscheBk	90.98	+.23	+2.2
JPMorgCh	34.73	+.96	-11.0
MitsuUFJ	12.35	+.20	+20.8
RoyalBk g	71.35	+1.01	+33.5
TorDBk g	48.06	+.22	+15.3
UBS AG	83.00	+.50	-1.0
US Bancrp	28.72	+1.10	-8.3
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Local



DOLPHINS UNDERGROUND: A half-dozen dolphin-dressed lobbyists are headed to Capitol Hill this morning via Metrorail to urge members of Congress to reject a bill that they say threatens marine mammals by stripping protections in current law.

Williams: Baseball Talks Tenuous

But mayor insists differences can be ironed out

WASHINGTON | Describing the relationship between his office, baseball officials and the D.C. Council as tenuous, Mayor Anthony A. Williams said Wednesday that questions surrounding stadium financing are being worked out.

"I'm confident that we are going to get the job done," Williams said. In recent weeks he has begun meeting regularly with the city's independent chief financial officer, leaders of the District of Columbia Sports and Entertainment Commission and others to work out details on the upcoming stadium bond sale.

He credited Council Chair Linda

W. Cropp for her efforts to improve the bond package.

Within three weeks, Williams hopes to unveil proposals for development near the proposed stadium, which will tentatively be located near the Anacostia River, about one mile south of the U.S. Capitol. Williams has been a strong advocate for the site, believing the stadium could spark development.

Some D.C. Council members want the Nationals to remain at RFK Stadium or play at a new facility built there, but the mayor has repeatedly said that site provides no opportunity for economic

DEPUTY MAYOR TRIES TO STAMP OUT '06 CAMPAIGN RUMORS

WHILE NOT DEFINITELY ruling out a run for mayor, D.C.'s deputy mayor, Robert C. Bobb, said Wednesday his focus over the next 15 months will be on helping current Mayor Anthony A. Williams meet his goals. Williams announced last month that he would not seek a third term next year. Bobb said media

reports that he has been talking to people in the city's 4th Ward about a mayoral bid are inaccurate. He also said no one has asked him to run. (AP)



Bobb

development.

The baseball stadium, initially estimated at \$279 million in construction costs and \$535 million in overall costs, is supposed to be ready for the 2008 season.

The mayor also called on Major

League Baseball to pick a new owner for the Nationals soon, to help move along development of a new stadium and lease arrangements. MLB owners are expected to get about \$450 million for the Nationals. DERRILL HOLLY (AP)

Board Moves Hundreds Of Road Projects Ahead

Regional planners OK expanded Va. Beltway, new Potomac bridge

WASHINGTON | Hundreds of regional transportation projects got a seal of approval Wednesday as the Transportation Planning Board voted unanimously to approve the region's long-term transportation improvement plan.

High occupancy travel lanes for the Beltway in Virginia, a study of another Potomac River crossing and the Intercounty Connector are in

the plan, clearing the way for state and federal funds.

Among the largest is a Virginia plan to widen the Capital Beltway to 12 lanes, with four privately financed high-occupancy toll lanes in each direction.

Several spoke out against Virginia's plan to spend \$400,000 for a feasibility study for a new "Techway" Potomac River bridge.

Since Montgomery County is firmly against that plan, one Maryland board member questioned "funding a study on a road to nowhere." HEATHER GREENFIELD (AP)

IN The Washington Post | DUI LAW ON TRIAL



ROBERT A. REEDER/TWP

FIGHTING IN COURT: Former drunk driving prosecutor Jackson Williams, who was arrested last year for driving in the District with a blood alcohol content below the legal limit, is trying to get D.C.'s confusing Operating While Impaired law declared unconstitutionally vague. | **Today in Metro**

In Brief

ANNAPOLIS, MD.

Former Baltimore Mayors Backing Duncan for Governor

Montgomery County Executive Doug Duncan will begin his Democratic gubernatorial battle with Baltimore Mayor Martin O'Malley with the support of two of O'Malley's predecessors as mayor. Former Baltimore Mayors William Donald Schaefer and Kurt Schmoke planned to join Duncan Thursday in Baltimore when he announces his candidacy for governor. It is the third of four stops Duncan has scheduled as he formally joins O'Malley in the race for his party's nomination. Republican Gov. Robert Ehrlich is seeking re-election. (AP)

ANNAPOLIS, MD.

Lt. Gov. to Join Race to Fill Seat of Retiring Senator

Republican Lt. Gov. Michael Steele will tell voters next Tuesday that he'll be running for U.S. Senate. Steele has put together an exploratory committee on whether to seek the seat of retiring Democratic Sen.



Steele

Paul Sarbanes, but according to The Fix, washingtonpost.com's political news blog, Steele will indeed throw his hat into the ring at an event at Prince George's County Community College. Steele has raised a reported \$400,000 for a campaign so far. (AP/EXPRESS)

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Accused al Qaeda Member Testifies He Was Tortured

A man accused of joining al Qaeda angrily testified Wednesday that he was whipped and tortured by Saudi interrogators who he said refused his requests to contact the U.S. Embassy. Ahmed Omar Abu Ali, 24, of Falls Church testified at a pretrial hearing in federal court to determine whether the confession he gave to the Saudis in June 2003 was coerced through torture. If U.S. District Judge Gerald Bruce Lee finds that there was a tortured confession, he could dismiss the government's case. (AP)

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Daily 6	15-06-09-08-26-39 Bonus: 29

MARYLAND	
Mid-day Pick 3	0-5-6
Evening Pick 3	2-3-7
Mid-day Pick 4	6-6-5-2

Evening Pick 4 9-4-3-7
Match 5 13-16-22-31-39 Bonus: 21

VIRGINIA	
Mid-day Pick 3 (Wed.)	5-4-7
Evening Pick 3 (Tues.)	3-0-4
Mid-day Pick 4 (Wed.)	6-1-7-5
Evening Pick 4 (Tues.)	8-0-8-3
Mid-day Cash 5 (Wed.)	02-07-12-17-30
Evening Cash 5 (Tues.)	08-20-27-28-33

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Accused Cat Hoarder in Va. Court

FAIRFAX, VA. | An elderly woman accused of keeping hundreds of cats, many of them dead, in two Fairfax County homes, said Wednesday she would hire her own lawyer ahead of another District Court appearance in December.

Ruth Knueven, 82, was in court Wednesday to answer five misdemeanor charges, including a pair

that could lead to jail time. Charges include failure to dispose of dead animals, two counts of failure to care for her animals, cruelty to animals and obstructing justice. No plea was entered.

She was arrested July 8, for allegedly keeping more than 270 cats in a Mount Vernon home. More cats were found in a Burke home. (AP)



HIGH SATISFACTION: A survey being released Thursday to the Metro Board finds 90 percent of subway commuters and 85 percent of bus passengers are satisfied with the service, up from the same July through September period last year. However just 59 percent of riders were satisfied with escalators and 85 percent with elevators, the survey reported. (AP)



AWARDS SEASON: D.C. United forward Jaime Moreno is one of three finalists for MLS MVP, the league announced Wednesday. Also, Peter Nowak — criticized publicly by teen star Freddy Adu Tuesday — is up for Coach of the Year.

Sports

Hollenbach Leads Terps vs. Hokies

QB's ascension began in last year's blowout loss to Virginia Tech

TERPS FOOTBALL | For all you "silver lining on every dark cloud" folks, try this one out.

Had Maryland not gotten thoroughly whipped by Virginia Tech last year, they might not be nearly the team they are this year.

If you watched the nationally televised 55-6 drubbing last November, chances are you turned the game off around half-time — when it was 41-3. Here's what you missed.

On the last play of the third quarter, having already gone through two quarterbacks, coach Ralph Friedgen summoned third-stringer Sam Hollenbach off the bench where he spent the better part of three seasons. He didn't exactly announce his Heisman candidacy — he was 5 of 8 for 53 yards — but



JONATHAN NEWTON/TWP

DREAM JOB: Maryland quarterback Sam Hollenbach said Thursday's home game against No. 3 Virginia Tech is the sort of game players dream of taking part in.

he showed something.

"We just threw him in there. Yeah, it was a mop-up situation, but the guy truthfully had no reps,"

Friedgen said. "That was the first time I was truly impressed with Sam."

Hollenbach started and beat

3 BURNING QUESTIONS

→ Will D'Qwell Get a Leg Up?

Terps linebacker Jackson, the nation's top tackler, missed the last game with a leg injury. He says he's ready to go.

→ Can the Terps Shake Vick?

Hokies QB Marcus Vick isn't putting up gaudy numbers, but he's been nearly mistake-free.

→ Can Maryland Pull Rank?

Under Ralph Friedgen, the Terps are 3-2 at home against ranked teams. In the previous 17 years, Maryland was 0-32-2.

Wake Forest in the season finale a week later and cemented the starting job in spring practice. Entering this week, Maryland is 4-2 and Hollenbach leads with Atlantic Coast Conference in total offense. And now he gets to see Virginia Tech again. The No. 3 Hokies (6-0) visit Byrd Stadium tonight for another nationally televised game.

And the junior quarterback can't help but think back to last year.

"If I hadn't gotten in that game, that would have been it," said Hollenbach, who considered transferring. "It's really a funny situation. If we didn't get beat like that, I don't know if I'd be here. I don't know how to feel about it."

With mentoring from the head coach and offensive coordinator Charlie Taffe, Hollenbach has developed into arguably the best passer in the Friedgen era. But the coach also figures Virginia Tech may well be the best team the Terrapins have faced in his tenure.

The key to the Terrapins' success on the biggest stage of the year is undoubtedly the quarterback. And Hollenbach knows it.

"This is what you dream about when you're in high school," he said. "This is the situation, playing the No. 3 team in the nation. You've got Thursday night, you've got national TV. It's prime time." **DEREK TURNER**

Quarterback U: Hollenbach is just the latest QB to succeed under Ralph Friedgen | **Today's Post, Sports**

BRUSCHI PRACTICES | FOR LOVE OF THE GAME



ELISE AVENDOL/AP

TEDY BALLGAME: Eight months after suffering a mild stroke, Patriots linebacker Tedy Bruschi puts on his helmet before practicing for the first time this season on Wednesday. "I'm back playing the game I love," he said.

STORM CANCELLATION: Hurricane Wilma is giving Miami and Georgia Tech the weekend off. With Wilma expected to arrive with devastating force in Florida this weekend, school and Atlantic Coast Conference officials postponed Saturday's game between the Yellow Jackets and Hurricanes. Georgia Tech will now play at Miami on Nov. 19. (AP)

Jackson: Dress Code Targets Blacks

NBA | Indiana guard Stephen Jackson believes the NBA's new ban on bling-bling is racially motivated, but says he will abide by the rules.

The NBA has announced that a dress code will go into effect at the start of the season. Players will be required to wear business-casual attire when involved in team or league business. They can't wear visible chains, pendants or medal-

ions over their clothes.

Jackson, who is black, said the NBA's new rule about jewelry targets young black males because chains are associated with hip-hop culture, and he said the league is afraid of becoming "too hip-hop." In protest,



Jackson

he wore four chains to the Pacers' exhibition game Tuesday night.

He defended his actions on Wednesday, but said he won't allow his feelings to cause a distraction in the regular season. "They don't want your chains to be out, all gaudy and shiny. But that's the point of them," he said. "I love wearing my jewelry. But I love my job. I love playing basketball more than I love getting fined and getting suspended." (AP)

In Brief

BASEBALL

Girardi Takes Over Marlins

New York Yankees bench coach Joe Girardi was hired Wednesday as manager of the Florida Marlins, agreeing to a three-year contract. Girardi spent 15 years as a major league catcher, then went into broadcasting in 2004 and came out of the booth to join the Yankees' staff this season. He'll be introduced on

Thursday, the team said. (AP)

TERPS HOOPS

McCray's Charges Dropped

Prince George's County prosecutors have dropped all charges against Maryland guard Chris McCray that stemmed from a late night August fight in College Park. McCray was charged with disturbing the peace, resisting arrest and escaping custody for his alleged role in the Aug. 28 incident. In an agreement with prosecutors, McCray was placed in a diversion program instead of facing

a court case, according to a spokesman for the county state's attorney. He completed 20 hours of community service in late September, picking up roadside trash. (AP)

RAVENS

Reed May Miss Many Weeks

Ravens star safety Ed Reed will almost certainly miss Sunday's game against the Chicago Bears with a high ankle sprain, an injury that could sideline the 2004 NFL Defensive Player of the Year for several weeks. (AP)

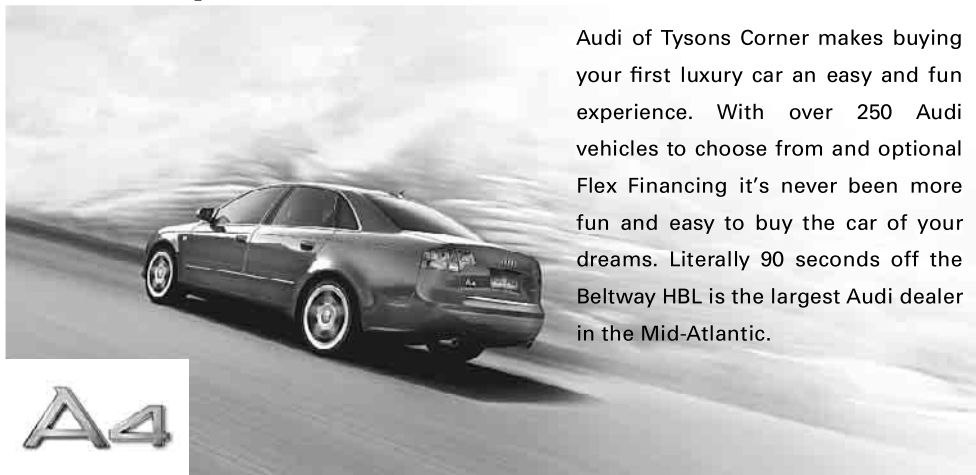
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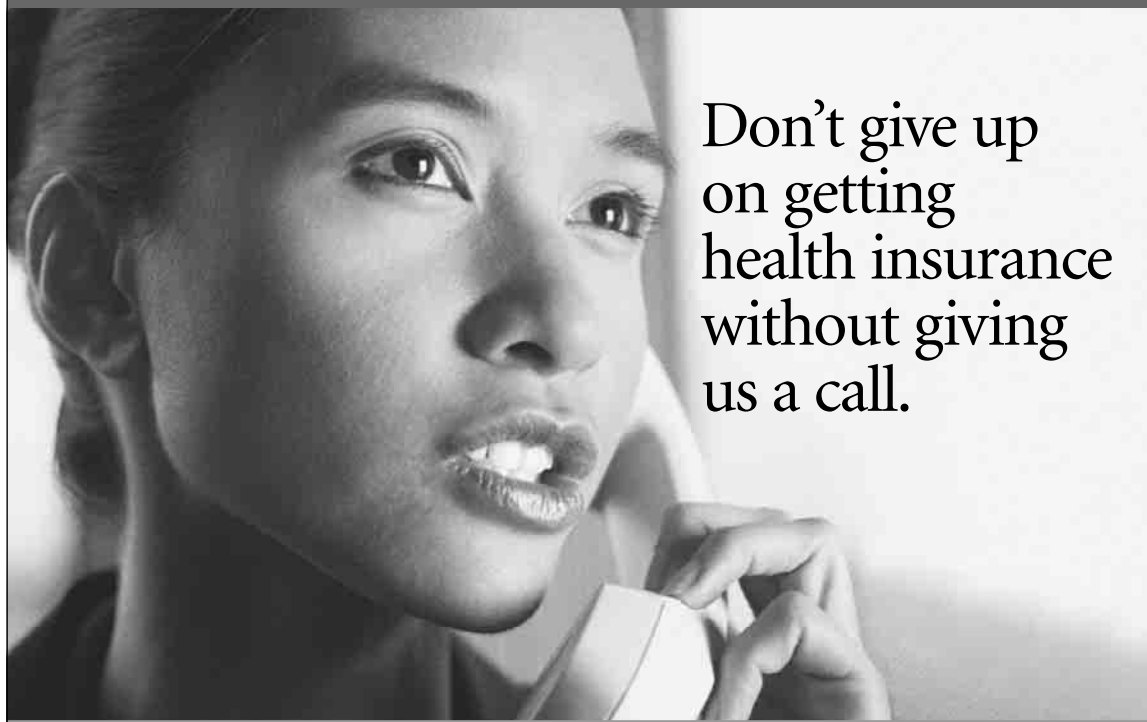
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Sports



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White Sox pitching coach Don Cooper, right, brings attention to the World Series logo on the shoulder of pitcher Mark Buehrle during Wednesday's workout.

White Sox Head Back to Practice

Guillen holds off on naming his rotation for the World Series

BASEBALL | Standing by his locker with two souvenir champagne bottles on a shelf behind him, A.J. Pierzynski shrugged his shoulders Wednesday and said the chaos he created in the AL championship series is over. Now it's time for the World Series.

"They say you get what you can handle, and I can handle it just fine," Pierzynski said as the Chicago White Sox resumed workouts after a two-day break and started to prepare for Saturday's Series opener.

The White Sox claimed their first pennant since 1959 Sunday by beating the Angels in a five-game ALCS and will meet Houston or St. Louis, with the first two games in Chicago.

Pierzynski was in the middle of three pivotal plays, the most crucial at the end of Game 2 when he ran to first on a third strike that the plate umpire ruled hit the dirt, was ruled safe and set up the winning run.

Who'll pitch to Pierzynski in Saturday's opener remained uncertain. Manager Ozzie Guillen said he'd hold off until Thursday to make the announcement although it'll be either Jose Contreras or Mark Buehrle. More than likely, it will be Contreras.

Contreras, who pitched Chicago's LCS-record fourth straight complete game in Sunday's clincher, would be going on five days' rest. Buehrle, the winner of Game 2 against the Angels, would have 10 days off between starts if he goes Sunday. RICK GAND (AP)

Later: Game 6 of the NLCS ended after Express' deadline. For results and analysis | washingtonpost.com/sports

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Sports

Moss Gathering Record Statistics

Wide receiver is off to a fast start making big plays for Redskins

REDSKINS | For Santana Moss, it all began with chasing cars.

"I used to stand on the corner and try to beat them to my grandma's house," Moss said. "I'd stand on the corner, and if I saw the car's getting ready to turn, I'd tried to beat it to the house before it goes up on the overpass."

On Sundays, Moss would stop chasing and wave at the Miami Dolphins buses as they motored down the freeway for home games. Sure, chasing cars and jumping on roofs on lazy Miami days was fun, but all he really wanted to do was play football.

These days, defenders are chasing Moss. He is off to an incredible start with the Washington Redskins, with 33 catches for 631 yards and four touchdowns, a pace that would give him an NFL-record 2,000 receiving yards. He had a career-high 173 yards last

REDSKINS NOTES

- Kicker John Hall, out since the opener, might finally be ready to make his return against the 49ers. He and Nick Novak shared duties in practice on Wednesday. Coach Joe Gibbs might wait until Sunday to make a decision on who to play.
- Five players didn't practice on Wednesday due to various ailments, but only defensive tackle Cedric Killings (severe ankle sprain) is unlikely to play Sunday.



Santana Moss's first huge play came with this score against the Cowboys.

week against Kansas City, including a career-best 78-yard touchdown catch on a screen pass. He has a chance to pad the numbers big-time this Sunday against the San Francisco 49ers, who have the league's worst passing defense.

"I don't think anybody could dream that a guy comes in one year and tries to get used to everybody, and for him to be that productive," coach Joe Gibbs said. "Obviously, we couldn't be more pleased."

The trade that sent Laveranues Coles to the New York Jets for Moss is turning out to be a steal. Moss is flourishing as the big-play weapon missing from the Redskins attack last season. He already has eight catches of 30 yards or more; the entire team had only nine such pass plays in all of 2004.

In short, he's in a zone.

JOSEPH WHITE (AP)

TODAY'S TV LINEUP

COLLEGE FOOTBALL (7:45 P.M. ON ESPN) No. 3 Virginia Tech tries to keep up in the BCS while Maryland is looking for its fourth win in a row during the nationally televised ACC game.

HOCKEY (7 P.M. ON COMCAST) After a four-day break following a win over Tampa Bay, the Capitals visit the

Florida Panthers.

BASEBALL (8 P.M. ON FOX) If necessary, the St. Louis Cardinals host the Houston Astros in Game 7 of the NLCS with a trip to the World Series on the line.

GOLF (3 P.M. ON ESPN) The first round of the Funai Classic in Lake Buena Vista, Fla.

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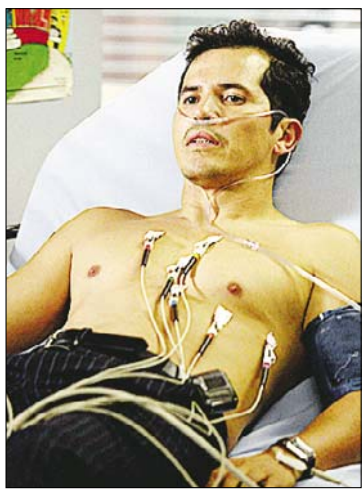
HOW ... TASTEFUL: According to CBS, Pope Benedict XVI will attend a screening of the four-hour miniseries "Pope John Paul II" at the Vatican. The TV special stars Jon Voigt as the late pope and will air on broadcast television Dec. 4 and Dec. 7.

Just Add Cameos

'ER' casts Leguizamo to help resuscitate not-so-hot ratings.

DEBUT | Comic actor John Leguizamo joins the cast of “ER” (10 p.m., NBC) as Dr. Ernesto Clemente, a supervising physician not afraid to use unorthodox means to shake things up. In fact, he will “introduce” himself to the staff, not as a physician, but as a patient, going undercover to see how his staff behaves when their guard is down.

With the introduction of Kirsten Johnston as a tough head nurse, and



FAKER! Ernesto's heartbeat is normal, but he seems a little sick in the head.

now Leguizamo, the producers of the long-running hospital soap are clearly not afraid to challenge viewers with strong new characters. The question remains if viewers are ready. You can't blame the "ER" faithful for suffering from trauma-fatigue. After years of fires, floods and helicopter blade amputations, it may take more than John Leguizamo to find the "ER" fans that have vanished "Without a Trace."

Speaking of new faces popping up on long-established shows, Richard Chamberlain will join the cast of "Will & Grace" (8:30 p.m., NBC). Chamberlain appears as an elderly man whom Will invites to dinner, much to Grace's chagrin. KEVIN MCDONOUGH (UNITED FEATURE SYNDICATE)

ON TV TONIGHT

OH, NO HE DIDN'T!

Folks are performing ever more desperate stunts to get attention. That appears to be the point of the clip-fest **101 CRAZIEST TV MOMENTS (9 P.M., E)**. Look for reality gaffes, extreme stunts and an endless reel of Bonaduce moments.

OK, ONE MORE HOUR OF FAME

No show better exemplifies the universe of minor celebrities celebrated for their own minor celebrity than **THE BIG IDEA WITH DONNY DEUTSCH** (10 p.m., CNBC).

YOU KNOW WHAT? WE GIVE UP

ALIAS (8 p.m., ABC) News about Rachel puts Sidney in peril.

THIS WON'T LAST

Chris befriends a cool kid on **EVERYBODY HATES CHRIS** (8 p.m., UPN).



TOUGH GUY: "CSI" shakes 'em down.

THE WALKING DEAD

CSI (9 P.M., CBS) The bodies of four slain family members disappear.

CULT CHOICE

A woman hallucinates in a mad scientist's house in the 1962 shocker **THE CABINET OF CALIGARI** (10 p.m., Fox Movie Channel). KEVIN MCDONOUGH (UNITED FEATURE SYNDICATE)

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	Animal		The Crocodile Hunter Diaries		The Most Extreme "Bloodsuckers"			The Planet's Funniest Animals		The Planet's Funniest Animals (N)				Animal Cops Houston "Puppy Mill"		The Planet's Funniest Animals									
	BET		106 & Park: BET's Top 10 Live		BET Style			★ ★ "Jason's Lyric" (1994, Drama) Allen Payne, Jada Pinkett.						25 Hottest Women		In Living Color		In Living Color							
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	Comedy		Mad TV Jamie Kennedy; Nelly.		Com.-Presents		Reno 911!		Daily Show		Colbert Report		Com.-Presents		South Park		South Park		David Spade		Daily Show		Colbert Report		
	Court		NYPD Blue "Unembraceable You"		Cops		Cops		The Investigators "Twisted Plot"		Forensic Files (N)		Body of Evidence		The Investigators "Naked Ambition"		Hollywood Justice		Hollywood Justice						
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	Disney		Sister, Sister		Phil of the Future		That's So Raven		That's So Raven		"Twitches" (2005) Tia Mowry. Reunited twins use magic against evil.				Buzz-Maggie		Sister, Sister		That's So Raven		That's So Raven				
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	Family		7th Heaven "Hungry"		Smallville "Sacred"				★ ★ ★ "Ghost" (1990) Patrick Swayze. A murder victim returns to save his beloved fiancée.						Whose Line?		The 700 Club								
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	Lifetime		The Golden Girls		The Golden Girls		"Frequent Flyer" (1996, Drama) Jack Wagner, Shelley Hack.				"Trapped: Buried Alive" (2002) Jack Wagner, Gabrielle Carteris.				Will & Grace		Will & Grace								
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	SCIFI		The X-Files "All Souls"		★ "The Bone Snatcher" (2003, Horror) Scott Bairstow, Rachel Shelley.				★ ★ "The Mummy Returns" (2001) Brendan Fraser. Imhotep's minions kidnap the O'Connells' precocious son.						MXC		MXC		MXC		The Ultimate Fighter				
	SPIKE		World's Wildest Police Videos		CSI: Crime Scene Investigation		CSI: Crime Scene Investigation		Friends		Friends		★ ★ ★ "Back to the Future Part II" (1989, Fantasy) (PA) Michael J. Fox, Christopher Lloyd.												
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VHI		(4:30) ★ ★ "Rock Star" (2001)		★ ★ ★ "Metallica: Some Kind of Monster" (2004) Turmoil surrounds the band while recording "St. Anger."																					
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MOVIES	AMC		(5:45) ★ ★ "Braddock: Missing in Action III" (1988, Drama) Chuck Norris. 'R'				★ ★ "The Delta Force" (1986, Adventure) Chuck Norris, Lee Marvin, Martin Balsam. 'R'		(4:45) ★ ★ "Delta Force 2" (1990) Chuck Norris. 'R'																
	TCM		(5:00) Wallflower		★ ★ "Big Jack" (1949, Adventure) Wallace Beery. 'NR'		★ ★ ★ ★ "Dances With Wolves" (1990) Kevin Costner. Premiere. A U.S. Cavalry officer's vision of the American frontier. 'PG-13'		Duel in the Sun																
	HBO		(1:15) ★ ★ ★ "Shrek 2" (2004, Adventure) Voices of Mike Myers.				Inside the NFL		★ ★ "Alien vs. Predator" (2004) Sanaa Lathan. 'PG-13'		Jarhead-Look		Real Sex Xtra		Family Bonds										
	MAX		Day-Tomorrow		(3:45) ★ ★ "Liberty Stands Still" (2002) Linda Fiorentino.		(1:15) ★ ★ ★ "50 First Dates" (2004) Adam Sandler.		★ ★ "Paparazzi" (2004) Cole Hauser.		Sex Games														
	SHOW		(5:00) ★ ★ "Paycheck" (2003)		★ ★ "The Stepford Wives" (2004) Nicole Kidman.		(4:45) Horrorfeast		Soul Food (iTV)		Barbershop (iTV)		Barbershop (iTV)		★ ★ "Godsend" (2004) Greg Kinnear.										
	TMC		The Heart of Me		(1:25) ★ ★ "Legally Blonde 2: Red, White & Blonde"		★ ★ "Stateside" (2004) Rachael Leigh Cook.		(4:45) ★ ★ "Uptown Girls" (2003, Comedy) Brittany Murphy.		★ Book of Love														
	STARZ!		(5:00) ★ ★ "Kingspin" (1996) 'PG-13'		★ ★ ★ "Peter Pan" (2003, Fantasy) Jason Isaacs.		★ ★ "Jersey Girl" (2004, Romance-Comedy) Ben Affleck.		(10:50) ★ ★ "Wimbledon" (2004)																
ENCORE		(5:45) ★ ★ ★ "Good Morning, Vietnam" (1987) Robin Williams.		★ ★ "Ginger Snaps Back: The Beginning" (2004) 'R'		(3:35) ★ ★ "Nothing to Lose" (1997) Martin Lawrence. 'R'		(1:15) ★ ★ "Spaced Invaders" (1990)																	

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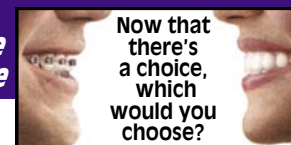
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Technology

Higher tech gadgets require batteries that pack more punch

For most of us, a dead battery in our cell phone or digital camera is an annoyance. For surgical tools salesman Jason Paul, it can cost him big money.

Paul counts on his smartphone — a cell phone that can perform computing chores — to check his stocks and send e-mail. He logs more than 3,000 minutes a month in calls to his clients. He also uses his phone to show doctors video clips of how his products perform in the operating room.

“When I’m using it like this, which is most days, I maybe get two or three hours out of the batteries,” said Paul, who works for Fremont, Calif.-based Rita Medical Systems Inc.

Paul, 29, is among a growing number of consumers becoming ever more dependent on their energy-hungry gadgets. But smartphones, laptops, digital music players and portable videogame consoles tend to gobble up more power with every additional feature.

Battery makers are racing to keep up, finding new ways to pack more power into smaller spaces.

The technical challenges are daunting. Most people have little understanding of the complex

and volatile chemistry that occurs in their batteries each time they videotape the kids at soccer practice or listen to their iPod, said Brian Barnett, managing director of research and development firm Tiax LLC.

Sony Corp. and Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., which makes Panasonic brand products, each announced earlier this year that they had developed longer-lasting lithium ion batteries by tweaking the chemical equation.

Both companies say their batteries can boost the life of a battery by up to 30 percent, claims that some analysts question.

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BATTERY LOW: Designing better batteries for sophisticated electronic gadgets has been technically challenging.

More Power To Ya

“Everyone is involved in the same race to lower power consumption of their products while improving them.”

DAVE HEACOCK, TEXAS INSTRUMENTS

Sony says it replaced graphite with a mixture of tin, cobalt, and carbon for its “hybrid” battery, which is being rolled out exclusively in the company’s new DVD Handycam camcorders.

Mike Kahn, a Sony senior product manager, said the new materials stuff more ions into a cell, extend-

ing the life of the battery by 20 percent in normal conditions. The hybrid outperforms standard batteries in cold weather by 30 percent, and recharges faster, he said.

Designed to power laptops, cell phones and other mobile electronics, Panasonic’s first generation battery is scheduled to hit store shelves

in April, said Kurt Kely, director of the Panasonic Energy Solutions Lab.

Independent studies of the Sony and Panasonic performance claims are hard to come by, and some scientists suspect any improvement has to do with better power management in mobile products design.

Finding ways of squeezing more performance from available power is a huge area of exploration for electronics makers. For example, scientists tinker with a device’s clockwork — the term used to describe how fast a machine performs a specific function — to speed up energy-eating chores. They look for ways to prevent extreme temperatures from siphoning off energy.

Sometimes an executive in charge of power management employs a less scientific approach: begging designers to make room for a bigger battery in the device, said Dave Heacock, vice president of the Texas Instruments’ portable power division.

“Everyone is involved in the same race to lower power consumption of their products while improving them,” Heacock said.

GREG SANDOVAL (AP)



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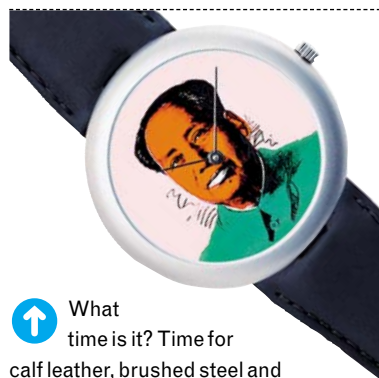
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Factory Fresh



✱ Andy Warhol's in town. Accessorize accordingly

There's something delightfully American about art-as-commodity-as-commodities. The Corcoran Gallery of Art is celebrating Andy Warhol through Feb. 20 with more than 150 of the artist's paintings, photographs and sculptures, many depicting themes of pop culture and capitalism. We're celebrating his work by asking, "What's in it for me?" LAURA EWALD



↑ "What are you looking at? Man, it's like I have an icon of seduction emblazoned across my rack or something." (T-shirt/tunic, \$120, **BETSEY JOHNSON**, Tysons Galleria, 703-442-3940)

Media



Martha Trembles

In the world of Food Network, no one inspires more creepy love than Rachel Ray. Her "30-Minute Meals" features the freakishly perky chef producing dinner in 27 minutes longer than the average person would like to spend cooking. Now, with the debut issue of **EVERY DAY WITH RACHAEL RAY** (\$4) on Oct. 25, you can bring home that relentless smile and love for pre-shredded cheese. While features like "Our Littlest Real Cook" and a piece on Whoopi Goldberg's fridge prompted eye-rolls, the piles of mostly easy (but not boring) recipes made up for the faults. KRISTEN PAGE-KIRBY (EXPRESS)

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Saddam on Trial

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For the crimes Saddam is being tried for, like the killings of 143 people in Dujail, if he were found to be guilty is he going to take only one death penalty? Doesn't he deserve 143?

They might seek to prosecute him for all the crimes he committed. There is the risk, however, that they may provide a platform for the next two to three years from which he can seek to destabilize the political transformation. The Iraqi government might seek to prosecute Saddam simply for the Dujail massacre and then to prosecute his lieutenants for the other alleged war crimes. This provides an opportunity to limit Saddam's ability to destabilize the transformation while also providing for an accurate historical record and victim catharsis.

How do Iraqi Sunnis see the trial of Saddam? Is he a hero to many?

My experience in Iraq over the summer indicated to me that Iraq is comprised of a very eclectic and heterogeneous population. While there are still some supporters of Saddam Hussein in Iraq, nearly all of the Iraqis are very firm in their

view that Saddam was responsible for mass atrocities against the people of Iraq.

Is Saddam the only world leader to have killed 143 of his own people? What am I missing here?

From the end of World War II until the end of the Cold War, there were a number of totalitarian regimes which committed mass atrocities. Sadly, almost all of these leaders were granted immunity or amnesty. Only in the past 15 years has the international community again come to recognize the value and the moral responsibility for prosecuting world leaders who commit mass atrocities. While the first case against Saddam relates to the extermination of all of the male members in the village of Dujail, it is alleged that he killed upwards of 300,000 Iraqis during his regime.

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Letters

A Matter of Priorities

I TRULY FEEL FOR THE PEOPLE who have been victimized by Katrina. The story of Mike Hardy and his wife living on their front porch with everything destroyed was heart wrenching, until I looked at the picture of the distraught man with a Budweiser in his hand ("Filth, Uncertainty in Biloxi," Oct. 19). While I understand the need to have a drink in these stressful circumstances, I think if you've lost everything and have no money, the last thing you should be spending money on is beer. After that, I had a hard time feeling any sym-

pathy for the man. Maybe Express needs to look closer at the photographs they attach to heart-wrenching articles such as these.

—BROOKE DAVIS
Washington, D.C.

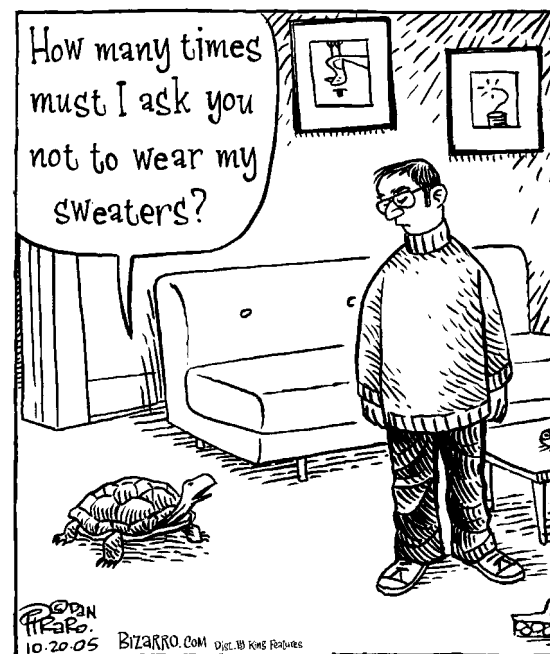
The Truth About Columbus

IF WE TRULY BELIEVE in freedom from oppression, the least we can do is make Columbus Day a day of remembrance for the loss suffered by the "original" Americans (Letters, Oct. 19). We also need to change the way this is taught in our schools. Our kids need to know that this great country was built by shedding the blood of Native Americans and taking everything away from them. It's not pretty, but it is the truth.

—SIMONE PUTNAM
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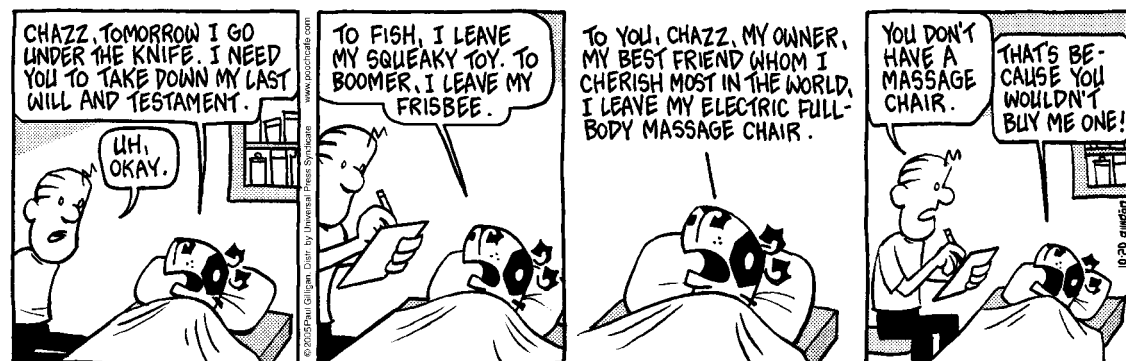
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“Hadley seems to have a history of assuming the worst about Iraq and finding evidence that the CIA has, but is not willing to fully back, and putting that in front of Rice, Cheney and Bush, where it finds its way into official policy.”

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Horoscope

By Stella Wilder

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) You may have to interact with someone who rubs you very much the wrong way today. Do your best to remain positive and willing to listen.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) You won't want to deny a loved one a special request today. Do what you can to see that he or she is fully satisfied and content.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) You don't want to be in the spotlight all the time today, but you won't be able to avoid it when others are looking to you for guidance.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Dissent of any kind can be disastrous for you today. Work for harmony, even if it means making a serious compromise.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) Now is the time for you to take a risk where a relationship is concerned. Large or small, this bold move can result in great satisfaction.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) The quicker

you go about your business today, the more likely you are to make a costly mistake. There's time to be careful.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) You may feel as though you're having trouble today simply because you're being forced to adjust too quickly to a new situation.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) You're going to have to race through certain things today to give yourself time for a special little treat that is just for you.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Follow the leader today, but watch carefully so that you'll know how to do it on your own when the time comes.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) If you find yourself away from home today, once again, do your best to plug into positive memories that can soothe your aching heart.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You can't please everyone today, and you must remember that to please at least one is to please yourself in the end. Keep doing your best.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) You may feel as though you've had enough, but just when you're ready to quit, you'll enjoy a rush of inspiration and energy. Go for it.

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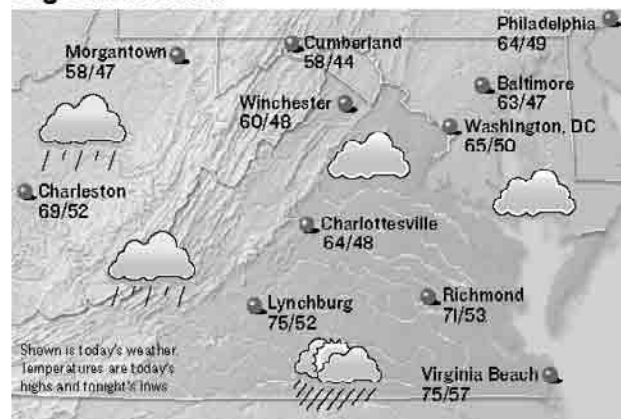


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Today	Tonight	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday
Cloudy, cool, afternoon sprinkles 65°	Cloudy, a little rain 50°	Cooler, occasional rain 56° / 50°	Rain at times 56° / 54°	A morning shower possible 62° / 48°	Partly sunny 60° / 46°

Regional Weather



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Temperature

High	76°
Low	51°
Normal high	67°
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Average humidity	55%

Precipitation

24 hours ending 4 p.m.	0.00"
Month to date	7.60"
Normal month to date	2.02"
Year to date	37.31"
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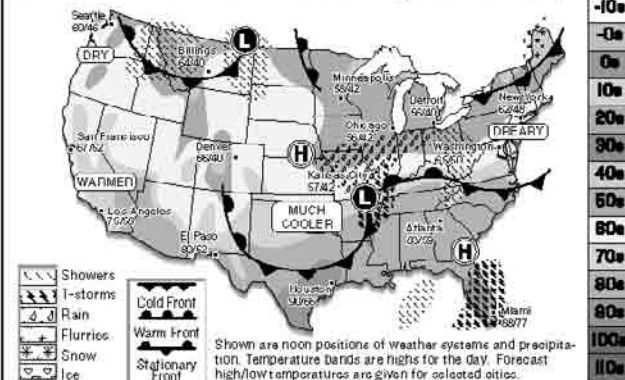
D.C. Metro: Today, variably cloudy, cooler, perhaps an afternoon shower. High 65. Wind east-northeast 6-12 mph. Tonight, occasional rain. Low 50.

Sun and Moon

Sunrise today	7:23 a.m.
Sunset tonight	6:23 p.m.
Moonrise today	8:13 p.m.
Moonset today	10:57 a.m.



National Weather for Thursday, October 20



National Cities

City	Today	Fri.
Atlanta	83/59/s	80/58/sh
Boston	59/42/s	57/42/c
Chicago	56/42/sh	56/42/sh
Dallas	85/56/s	78/54/s
Denver	66/40/pc	60/38/sh
Honolulu	85/74/pc	88/74/pc
Los Angeles	75/58/pc	75/58/pc
Miami	88/77/t	86/78/t
New York City	62/48/pc	58/48/r
Orlando	90/72/t	86/74/t
Seattle	60/46/pc	62/48/pc

World Cities

City	Today	Fri.
Amsterdam	59/50/sh	57/52/r
Athens	72/55/pc	72/57/pc
Berlin	63/45/pc	63/50/pc
Buenos Aires	88/60/s	83/62/s
Calgary	39/22/sn	52/35/c
Dublin	55/50/r	55/46/r
Geneva	63/46/pc	63/51/pc
Moscow	36/25/pc	43/32/pc
Rome	68/64/r	68/64/sh
Sydney	64/59/sh	72/59/sh
Tokyo	70/63/pc	70/63/pc

s=sunny, pc=partly cloudy, c=cloudy, sh=showers, t=thunderstorms, r=rain, sf=snow flurries, sn=snow, h=ice

LOOK out People



DANNY MOLOSHOK/AP

Coco loves to watch Mommy rack up residuals from her "Friends" DVDs.

MOMMY, WHAT'S SEX?

This Is So Going to Come Back to Bite Her in the Butt

COURTENEY COX has no problem letting her child watch television. "I like TV," she told "Access Hollywood." "It all depends what it is." When asked how she keeps her 16-month-old daughter, Coco, grounded, Cox laughed and responded, "The Wiggles." Cox, who is married to actor David Arquette, starred on NBC's hit comedy "Friends." (AP)

NETWORK CLICHES

ABC Guaranteed to Call This a 'Triumphant Return'

MICHAEL J. FOX, who left his "Spin City" sitcom because of Parkinson's disease, will guest star on three episodes of "Boston Legal" scheduled to air this season. Fox will play a CEO battling stage-four lung cancer who hires Denny Crane (William Shatner) and his associates to represent him in a lawsuit involving a promising anti-cancer drug. (AP)



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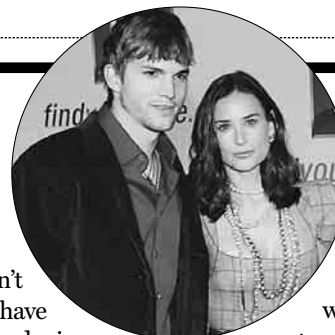
SUMMITS

Awkward Pauses

Before Wednesday night's concert in at the MCI Center, U2 frontman **BONO** bent **PRESIDENT BUSH**'s ear about the world's poor. The pair had lunch in the private dining room off the Oval Office, where they discussed debt relief, AIDS, malaria, world trade and U2's two D.C. concerts for an hour and 40 minutes, said presidential spokesman Scott McClellan. (AP)

EXPLOITATION Moore's Milk Themselves For Everything They're Worth

ASHTON KUTCHER isn't letting the tabloids have all the fun: He's producing a sitcom pilot loosely based on his relationship with **DEMI MOORE**. The project, being developed by



Twentieth Century Fox and Kutcher's production company, is about a younger man who marries an older woman and becomes stepdad to her children.

The pilot has yet to be cast and it was unknown if Kutcher had any plans to star in it. (AP)



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Antonio rewarded his loyal fans by making out with wife Melanie Griffith.

HONORS

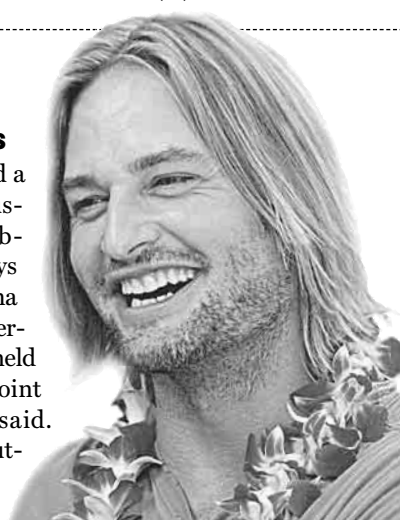
You Must Be Penniless to Enter Hollywood, It Seems

ANTONIO BANDERAS was been presented with a star on the Hollywood Walk of Fame Tuesday, 16 years after he arrived as a penniless young actor. Banderas got down on his knees and rubbed his hands over his new Hollywood star. His latest film, "The Legend of Zorro," opens in theaters Oct. 28. "It was an honor and privilege to arrive to this country 16 years ago with almost no money in my pocket," said Banderas. (AP)

OPPRESSORS

Police Then Arrested JJ Abrams for Plotlessness

Police in Honolulu have arrested a man described as "a possible suspect" in the home invasion-robbery of **JOSH HOLLOWAY**, who plays con man Sawyer on the ABC drama "Lost." The man matches the general description of the robber who held Holloway and his wife at gunpoint Oct. 12 at their home, police said. He was arrested Tuesday on outstanding burglary and felony assault warrants. (AP)



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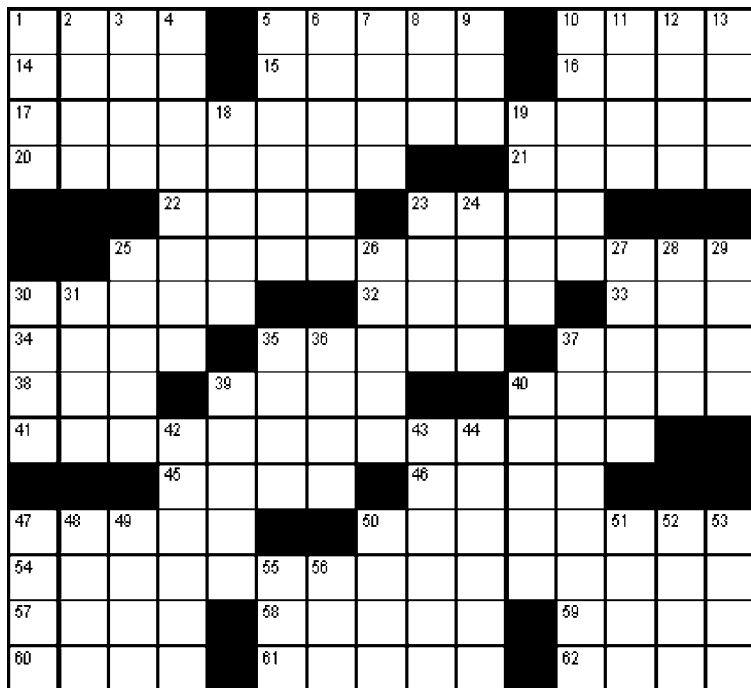
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ACROSS

1 Challenger's letters
5 Purse part
10 Fat used in candlemaking
14 Give off, as light
15 "Midnight at the"
16 Norway's capital
17 Xena's title
20 Scientifically accepted hypotheses
21 Field measures
22 Remain unsettled
23 "For _____ With Love and Squalor"
25 Roger Miller hit
30 Vapid
32 Cargo
33 Sundial hour
34 Assign a value to
35 British currency
37 Prefix with skeleton or spore
38 Groove-billed bird
39 Paleozoic and Edwardian, e.g.
40 Sandy ridge
41 She said "Off with her head!"
45 Goals
46 Carrying current
47 What the fat lady sings
50 Laugh track alternative
54 Hamlet's role
57 Ripped
58 Closer to extinction

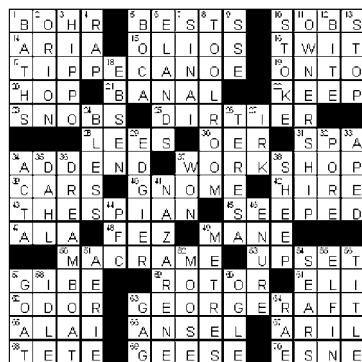
DOWN

59 Blunted weapon
60 Invited a ticket
61 144
62 Ownership document
1 Salamander family member
2 Memsahib's servant
3 Pup's pop
4 Substance for dilating pupils
5 Emulating a pigeon
6 City on the Rio Grande
7 Egyptian cobras
8 Title for Arthur Conan Doyle
9 Tire abbreviation
10 Football, to Americans
11 Tech-support caller
12 It may follow something
13 Have a restless night
18 Goodnight gal
19 Christened
23 College of Thomas Gray and William Pitt
24 A source of roe
25 Couric of "Today"
26 Impressive poker hand
27 Components of pig chatter
28 _____-memoire (mnemonic device, e.g.)



29 Last name in fashion
30 Former no-fly zone
31 Half of Mork's farewell
35 Teen's big event
36 Klutzes
37 Valued, as a colleague
39 First all-purpose digital computer
40 Watergate's Sam
42 Acquired by labor
43 Circumvents
44 Abettors partners
47 Makes a choice
48 Theatrical object
49 Irish Free State
50 Hairstyle once worn with platform shoes
51 Neck feature
52 Native Canadian
53 _____ out a living (scrapped by)
55 Small bit of work
56 Sculling instrument

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Today in History

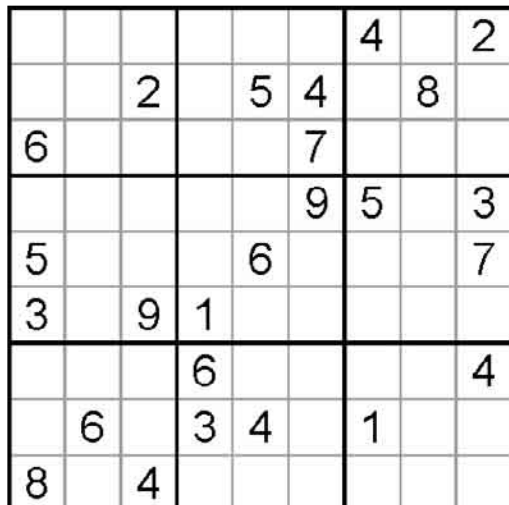
1803 The U.S. Senate ratified the Louisiana Purchase.
1944 During World War II, Gen. Douglas MacArthur stepped ashore at Leyte in the Philippines, 2½ years after he'd said, "I shall return."
1947 The House Un-American Activities Committee opened hearings into alleged Communist influence and infiltration within the American motion picture industry.
1968 Former first lady Jacqueline Kennedy married Greek shipping magnate Aristotle Onassis.
1973 In the so-called "Saturday Night Massacre," special Watergate prosecutor Archibald Cox was dismissed and Attorney General Elliot L. Richardson and Deputy Attorney General William B. Ruckelshaus resigned.

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[on the]spot

*** NAME:** Kiki & Herb **GIG:** Cabaret artists; their unhinged new show is "Pardon Our Appearance"

KIKI & HERB have played the professional burlesque, casino, cruise ship and cabaret circuits — anywhere that gin and a piano were available. Tip: if Kiki lurches atop your table, belting showstoppers like Ethel Merman on meth, do not try to snatch your drink. Herb is the quiet, self-described "gay-jew-'tard" at the piano. Justin Bond (Kiki) and Kenny Mellman (Herb) improvised their first radical cabaret meltdown 13 years ago in San Francisco. Bond, to whom we spoke, won an Obie award for the 2000 production of "Kiki & Herb: Jesus Wept." Mellman is a classically trained pianist and composer.

Your show and live album, "Kiki & Herb Will Die for You," draws from

a broad range of music. What do you want played at your funeral?

I would be very excited if Patti Smith would sing "Rock 'n' Roll Nigger." Marianne Faithfull can start out with "Why'd Ya Do It?" At the end Chrissie Hynde can sing "2000 Miles." I like those old battle-ax women of rock.

You don't sound like you're from San Francisco ...

I'm from Hagerstown, Md. Today I spent the day with my family. I played checkers with my five-year old niece, who asked why I had all this makeup, wigs and costumes. So I said I'm a performer, I use makeup for my job ... and people pay us because Kenny and I do it really well.

Is it weird when family comes to the show?

My whole family was at Carnegie



GIN & A PIANO: Herb, left, and Kiki take no prisoners in their demented new act.

Hall. It was amazing. I never drop character on stage, but I thought: When's the next time I'm going to be on stage at Carnegie Hall? I looked out, found my mother, and started giggling. It was one of the best nights of my life.

What is your act — punk? Cabaret?

When I lived in San Francisco, I got into homocore, the queer punk anarchist scene. So I tried to find a way to combine that with my training in theatre, Dadaism and Brechtian cabaret.

"Kiki has a few words to say about the new Nazi pope."

What's your new show about?

There's lots of new stuff. A lot to do with fundamentalism — Christian fundamentalism, Islamic fundamentalism, free-market economy fundamentalism. And Kiki has a few words to say about the new Nazi pope.

Is Kiki Catholic?

She's full of spirits and full of the Spirit. The drunker she gets, the closer she gets to God. And she gets very drunk in the show, so it's practically like going to church when you see Kiki and Herb. **BOB MASSEY**

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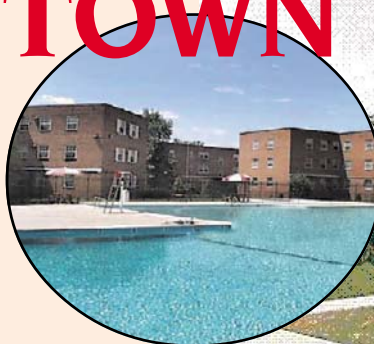
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With Or Without You

The U2 of today, with all its pomp, looks back at its more austere American period

MUSIC | If you've ever wanted to send a scalper's family to Maui or get chummy with a roadie, tonight's the night. Tickets to U2's MCI Center shows, the second and last of which is Thursday, are all gone.

But just because a concert is sold out, that doesn't mean tickets aren't available. There's still time to buckle your first-born into his Graco and see if some childless couple with floor seats will make the swap. Throw in a Diaper Genie and several cases of Similac, and you could seal the deal.

It's hard to imagine now, but there was a time when U2 battled similar (i.e., anthemic, expansive, non-English UK) bands for significance. In 1983, it wasn't clear whether the boys from Dublin could best Scotland's Big Country

and Welsh contenders the Alarm.

U2 pulled ahead by realizing that the big country that really mattered was across the pond. The hero of Bono's breakaway lyric isn't Eamon de Valera but Martin Luther King Jr. Bono sought not just an audience but a self-imposed exile. The prophet in him needed some desert to wander, and the pragmatist in him saw that the American West had plenty of it. The U2 that rules the world today is a throwback to the earnest, American late '80s; the faux-decadent, European early '90s are glossed over.

Too bad you weren't around to catch U2 at the Bayou in 1980, when they first came our way. And too bad U2 is still very much worth seeing. Notwithstanding the mixed signals of the black-and-red color scheme (What was that? The iPod Nazi?), "How to Dismantle an Atomic Bomb" is their most arena-friendly album in years.

"Vertigo" is going to sound positively immense

rattling and humming around the rafters. And while Chris Martin had to direct the audience to flash their cameras en masse last month, crowd choreography is all but written into the lyrics of "City of Blinding Lights." If Bono's religious theater has often seemed an illusory dialogue with bigness, where the role of the Almighty is played by the singer's own voice echoing back to him from the rim of the stadium, nobody ever said that made for lousy spectacle.

So go ahead. Tell yourself they used to be better. Tell yourself nobody can stay on top for 25 years. Tell yourself you don't have to be there when the Edge lays down the opening riff of "Pride."

The Vertigo 2005 Tour comes this way but once. And someday you can tell Junior — should you decide to keep him — what happened to his college fund. **GLENN DIXON**

→ MCI Center, 601 F St. NW; Thu., 7:30 p.m., sold out; 800-551-7328. (Gallery Place-Chinatown)

Top Stops

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Floetry is among the acts slated to rouse school spirit at Howard's Homecoming.

Howard U. Homecoming: Alma Mater Matters

Howard University promises to have its biggest homecoming ever with the slightly confusing theme: "Reminisce: Build ... Treasure ... Relive!" Events take place all over town and include a poetry slam, many musical guests, some performing, some hosting (among the names are Floetry, Talib Kweli, Usher and Diddy — guess who'll be hosting) and a ton of school spirit.

Howard Homecoming, various locations, see www.howarduhomecoming.com/2005b.html for schedule.

F. Scott Weekend: Pat Conroy Honored

If you think of F. Scott Fitzgerald as a born-and-bred East Eggian, think again. Why, the literary conference named after him is in Rockville, and this Saturday the FSFLC hosts an award ceremony and reading in honor of Southern author Pat Conroy, whose tales of humid, twisted family hauntings have earned him a place in local literary history. The conference also includes talks, workshops and readings of Fitzgerald's works.

Montgomery College, Rockville, 51 Mannakee St., Rockville, Md.; Sat., \$75 general, \$55 seniors, \$20 students; 301-309-9461 or www.peerlesrockville.org/FSF

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MELANCHOLY, BABY: Death Cab's "Plans" justifies its major-label jump and might bring the band mainstream success.

Cab on the Right Track

Emo poster boys Death Cab for Cutie grow up

MUSIC | It's easy for a band to get a ... reputation once Seth Cohen gets his sensitive, tapered fingers on it.

The star character of Fox's snarky teen soap "The O.C." is widely known to be a *yooge* Death Cab for Cutie fan, which pretty much relegates the cultishly beloved melodic-pop quartet to the realms of whining emo shoe-gazers and other glummyboots whose music

provides a soundtrack to Seth's life of comic books, heartbreak, obsessive self-reflection and economic privilege.

Not that Death Cab doesn't — or didn't — warrant such a label. Singer Ben Gibbard's eerie tenor implies a certain vulnerability, and the band's lyrical observations are, if anything, directed inward.

But the band, playing to a sold-

out house at the 9:30 this Sunday, is growing up. "Plans," Death Cab's major-label debut, is a stately, wise affair, veined with deep sadness, and its intricate production (by guitarist Chris Walla, the band's secret weapon) renders the songs both intimate and monumental.

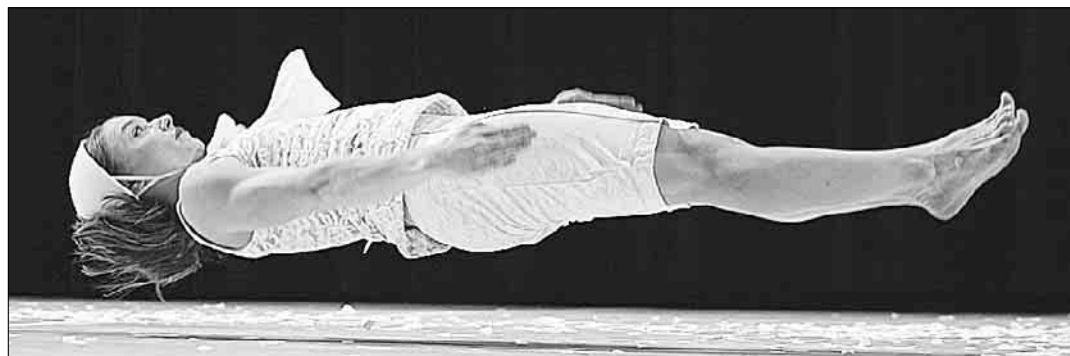
Openers Stars are a group of Canadians who play sorta chamber-pop/sorta experimental fragmented rock and feature one boy and one girl to split up singing duties.

The music's sexy and kind of perverse, the instrumentation otherworldly and the refinement of sensibility far beyond anything the Seth Cohens of this world are ready to understand.

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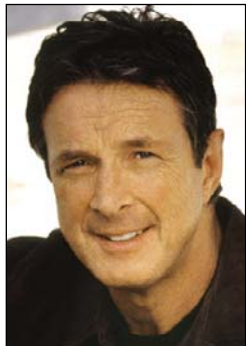
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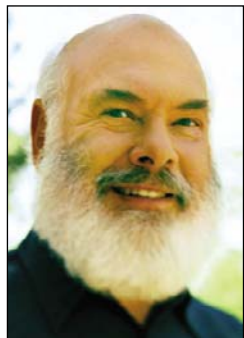
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Andrew Weil: A Better Way to Aging

Tues., Nov. 1, 7 PM

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Andrew Weil

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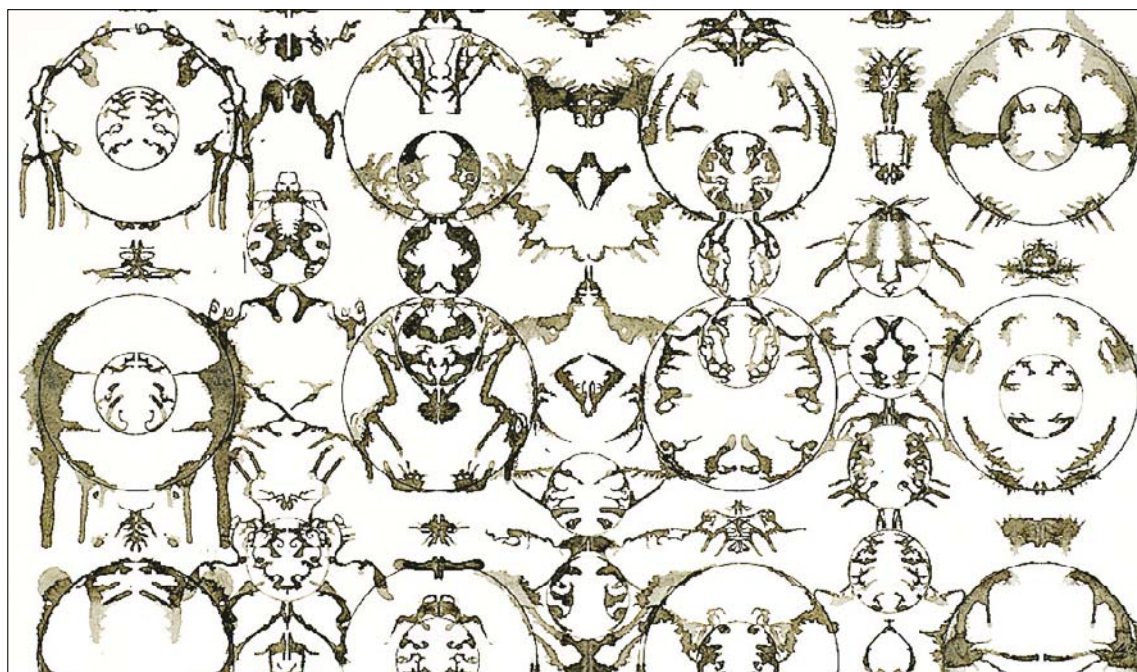
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'ANONYMOUSELY' YOURS: Conner claimed his mysterious, repetitive drawings were the work of elves — and they could be.

An Artist of 1,000 Faces

Bruce Conner's inkblots play with identity

MUSEUMS | Bruce Conner doesn't like to be pinned down. As soon as he made a name for himself with a series of disturbing, death-obsessed assemblages in the late '50s and early '60s, he stopped making them. When his short films — seminal works of experimental cinema and, in some cases, precursors of music video (he worked with Toni Basil in 1966) — became well known, he closed up shop again.

And in 1999, as he turned 65 and received a major traveling retrospective, Conner announced his retirement. But it seems he has stealthily

remained active, shunning not just the idea of a signature style, but the signature too. One of the "Grand Openings" shows kicking off the American University Museum's fall season on Friday, "After Bruce Conner: Anonymous, Anonymouse, and Emily Feather" presents inkblot drawings Conner admits are his alongside similar works by artists he claims only to have trained.

In a catalog interview he goes so far as to spin yarns about the recent output of his studio: "I used to tell people that after my wife and I would retire for the evening we

would hear little rustling sounds going on in the middle of the night. The next morning the elves would leave inkblot drawings for me to look at."

And who could "Anonymouse" be but one of the nameless rodent needleworkers of Beatrix Potter's "The Tailor of Gloucester"?

Conner has contrived an undeniably dissonant conceptual frame (the whimsy of fairy tales, the psychoanalytic torque of Rorschach cards) for a show that is startling in its delicacy.

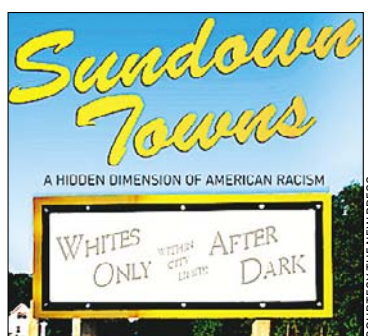
Visitors expecting raw, messy blobs of ink will find themselves ruminating on Chinese scrolls and Japanese crests, Victorian wallpaper and colonial quilts, anatomical sketches and Gothic tracery. Conner has aestheticized the divination of personal identity until we no longer trust the test. **GLENN DIXON**

→ *American University Museum, KatzenArts Center, 4400 Massachusetts Ave. NW; opens, Fri., through Dec. 17; 202-885-1300. (Tenleytown-AU)*



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WHO: James Loewen, author of "Sundown Towns: A Hidden Dimension of American Racism"
WHERE: Politics & Prose, 5015 Connecticut Ave. NW
WHEN: Sun., 6 p.m.



Loewen exposes horrifying history.

HOW MUCH: free; 202-364-1919.
WHY: Loewen follows up his eye-opening history of revisionist history, "Lies My Teacher Told Me" with a book that exposes those cities all over the country — not just in the South — in which it was unwise for an African-American to linger after dark. As Loewen relates in his scholarly, appalling book, this 19th-century policy changed little in some places even into the 1960s.

TopStops

Continued from E5

John Lennon's Stamps: Sticky Business

It's good to know that a king of cool such as John Lennon — Beatle, author, activist, wry guy — started out as a weedy little philatelist. It's true: His cousin Stanley Parkes introduced him to philately via a very special book, and the young Lennon took to it enthusiastically. The future legend's 145-page stamp album, originally Parkes' own — has made its way to the National Postal Museum, where it's on display for the delectation of stamp-lovers,



Lennon's book's double-page spread of colorful stamps from New Zealand.

Beatles fans and weedy boys worried about their future prospects of coolness.

National Postal Museum, 2 Massachusetts Ave. NE; through April 10, 202-633-5555. (Union Station)



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Soul's Shades of Blue

Leela James sings with conscience, subsense and sass

MUSIC | Neo-soul — or at least the phrase — may be passé, but tell that to R&B siren Leela James. On her captivating debut, “A Change Is Gonna Come,” she reminisces about a time in R&B history before music videos. With a CD title alluding obviously to Sam Cooke and an opening tune called “Music,” she threatens, at first glance, to come across as didactic as India.Arie.

But once you hear James’ sizzling alto, it’s hard not to be seduced by her message. James has one of those powerful voices that relies less on melismatic overkill and more on textural nuance. She’s a belter, for sure, but her enchanting growls and moans and sophisticated phrasing recall more of the best of Mavis Staples and Gladys Knight than the worst imitations of Aretha Franklin.

Also to her credit, the Los Angeles native ventures beyond singing about great music and explores the usual “you’ve done



LEARNING FROM THE PAST: If neo-soul is a cliché, singer Leela James is ready to create something new from its ashes.

me wrong” or “baby, do me right” themes of R&B.

With fiery conviction filtered through her countrified bristle, James excels more on the former with songs like the burning “When You Love Somebody,” in which she spits salt in the face of an unwor-

thy paramour, and the bluesy “My Joy,” a magical testifying delight that you could easily imagine Celie from “The Color Purple” singing right before she left that sorry-assed Albert.

And on one of the four bonus tracks, she delivers a shim-

mering rendition of Cooke’s “A Change Is Gonna Come,” suggesting classic rather than neo-soul.

JOHN MURPHY

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“Porgy & Bess” brought African-American musical forms to Broadway.

Race, Art And the Musical

SEMINAR | How much controversy can be spawned and how much history made from a stage musical? When it’s George and Ira Gershwin’s “Porgy & Bess,” the answer is, a whole lot. This 1935 American folk opera adapted African-American styles of music and speech to create an elegantly shaped night at the jook joint for ticket-buyers and set off a furious debate of cultural appropriation and authenticity that rages to this day. Thanks to the Resident Associates, pianist and Gershwin scholar Robert Wyatt will be leading a seminar on the meaning and impact of “Porgy & Bess” that includes archival music and video recordings, a lecture on the history of the opera and a discussion with Washington National Opera stars who are bringing the show to the Kennedy Center stage in November.

ARION BERGER (EXPRESS)

→ *National Museum of American History*, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue NW; Sat., 9:30 a.m., seminar only, \$131, RAP members \$85; 202-252-0012. (Archives-Navy Memorial)

Voltage to the People

Jay Farrar is trying to save the world, one note at a time

MUSIC | When schoolkids sing our other national anthem, Woody Guthrie’s “This Land Is Your Land,” the song somehow never quite reaches those later verses which depict the greedy rich grabbing from the hungry poor. Go figure.

In “Bandages and Scars,” the opening track of Son Volt’s latest album, bandleader Jay Farrar sings “Been doing a lot of thinking, thinking about hell, thinking about ozone, thinking about lead, thinking about the future and what to do then. The words of Woody Guthrie



MARK RAY

FOLK REDUX: Son Volt’s simple arrangements keep the music’s message on point.

ring in my head ...” It’s a poignant counter-anthem reminiscent of Farrar’s seminal work with alt-country legends Uncle Tupelo. And it’s one middle-American wishing out loud in the direction

of Washington — very out loud, as of this Friday at the 9:30.

There are few frills with Son Volt’s new album, “Okemah and the Melody of Riot.” Just a muscular band recorded straight to tape.

Farrar inevitably gets compared to his former bandmate, Wilco’s Jeff Tweedy. But where Tweedy wanders into experimental sonic territory, Farrar relies on his soulful voice and taut arrangements of familiar elements: fuzzy slide guitar, rock drums, Hammond organ. His songs are about tension and release. The guitar work that originally won over the ’80s underground — like Bob Mould on a Hank Williams bender — is still gloriously intact.

The perfect balance of simplicity and sophistication sidesteps the trap of arty meandering that too many critics mistake for ideas (cough*Wilco*cough). And the lyrical mix of love and hurt that undergirds all country music makes for a pungent, wounded patriotism as well. Woody would be proud.

BOB MASSEY

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One Man For the Job

Steve Martin stars in the film version of his own novel, 'Shopgirl'

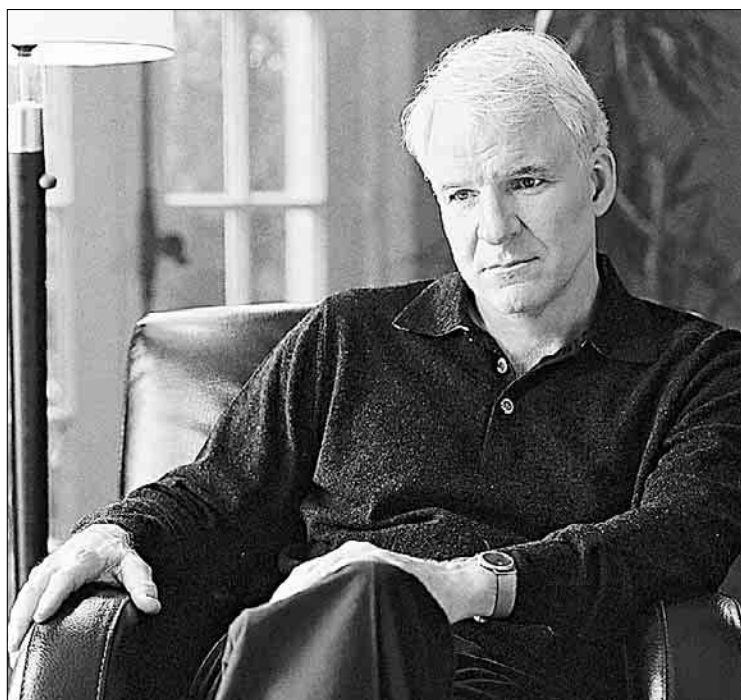
RENAISSANCE MAN | Steve Martin was "a wild and crazy guy," but at 60, he's much more: producer, screenwriter, playwright, author, essayist and an actor equally adept at drama and comedy.

He's written (or co-written) many of the films in which he's starred, including "The Jerk" and "Dead Men Don't Wear Plaid," but has never before played a character from one of his novels, as he

does in the bittersweet new comedy "Shopgirl."

"Shopgirl" tells the story of a quiet, would-be artist who wastes her days working behind the glove counter at a Beverly Hills department store. A stoic Vermont transplant in a town full of glamour and flash, Mirabelle lives alone with only her cat for company. That is, until this twentysomething beauty finds herself the object of desire of a rich, sophisticated older man named Ray Porter and the two begin an affair.

For the role of Mirabelle, the filmmakers turned to 26-year-



MAN OF THE WORLD: Martin will play the sugar daddy to Claire Danes' "Shopgirl."

old Claire Danes. Martin said the young actress delivered "a quiet solitude" in her performance that is rare among young actresses.

"Claire could play a glamour girl or a buxom dancer, but in this movie there's something about the simplicity of Claire's performance, which

was quite stunning.

Martin thought about asking Tom Hanks to play the role of the sophisticated but emotionally distant Porter, but decided he knew the character well enough to play it himself. After all, he created it.

The writer, star and producer decided to leave the directing to someone else. British filmmaker Anand Tucker brought an outsider's sensibility to the backdrop of trendy yet lonely Los Angeles.

While some have speculated that "Shopgirl" may be autobiographical, the actor-author balks at the suggestion. "It's just an analysis," he said. "There are some things that are based in truth. Some of it is based on other people's stories and some is based on people I've met."

The actor will return to his comedic roots as he plays the bumbling Inspector Clouseau made famous by Peter Sellers in the "Pink Panther." ANGELA DAWSON (VNU ENTERTAINMENT NEWS WIRE)

Take 10

THE WASHINGTON POST'S FILM CRITICS TACKLE THIS WEEK'S BOX-OFFICE TOP 10

1 The Fog

This remake of John Carpenter's film about demonic mist was not screened in time for critics.

2 The Curse of the Were-Rabbit

The real attractions here are found not in the threadbare plot, but in the visual and verbal puns, contraptions and memorable supporting characters.

ANN HORNADAY

3 Elizabethtown

TLFor all the time Kirsten Dunst and Orlando Bloom spend together, there is surprisingly little magic here.

DESSON THOMSON

4 Flightplan

This in-flight thriller strikes a balance between claustrophobia and vast expanse, but falls apart at the Big Reveal. ANN HORNADAY

5 In Her Shoes

The revelations in this girly sister-flick are Oprah-ful, the gags come from



'JUST ASK FOR DIRECTIONS!' Stubborn male driving only makes "The Fog" worse.

TV sitcom hell and a sisterly hug is the only conceivable climax.

DESSON THOMSON

6 Two for the Money

The fight between good (Matthew McConaughey's ex-football player) and evil (Al Pacino as a betting-firm capo) feels fixed. DESSON THOMSON

7 Domino

It's like a ferret on crystal meth that belatedly discovers ecstasy, and it's a tiresome trip either way. ANN HORNADAY

8 A History of Violence

Packed inside David Cronenberg's shoot-'em-up is a sobering reflection on our culture's attitude toward violence. DESSON THOMSON

9 Corpse Bride

This weird corpse courtship may not be to everyone's tastes, but the movie has its appeal, especially that of the blushing bride. TERESA WILTZ

10 The Gospel

This drama about a singer going home to reconcile with his past and his church was not screened in time for critics.

Indies&Arties

'Ten Masterpieces of Turkish Cinema'

This unprecedented cinema series opens Sunday at 1:30 p.m. with Metin Erksan's "Dry Summer," about two brothers whose rivalry over a water source masks sexual competition for the wife of one of the men. At 3:30 p.m., Yilmaz Guney's 1970 masterpiece "Hope" screens. The director also stars as a horse-cart driver on a search for buried treasure. *Freer Gallery, Meyer Auditorium, 12th Street and Independence Avenue SW; 202-633-4880.*

At AFI Silver

The film series "Samurai Cinema," "French Cinema Under the Occupation," "The Lubitsch Touch" and "Still Blazing: Mel Brooks" continue throughout the weekend, but the real news at AFI Silver is the Korean Cinema series presentation of "Spider Forest," Son Il-gon's kaleidoscope of a psychological mystery about a man, a murder and some puzzling memories. *AFI Silver, 8633 Colesville Road, Silver Spring; 301-495-6720.*

Prism 2005

A program of new cinema from Serbia and Montenegro, "Prism 2005" fea-



"Spider Forest" follows a man looking for the truth about his wife's murder.

tures documentaries, dramas, comedies, period pieces and thrillers from the troubled regions. *Avalon Theatre, 5612 Connecticut Ave. NW; through Sun.; 202-966-6000.*

Pickford Restored

Thursday's film, 1919's "The Hoodlum," features live piano accompaniment by Ray Brubacher. On Friday, it's the 1929 feature "Coquette," a restoration of the silent version of the star's first sound feature, for which she won an Oscar. *National Gallery of Art, 4th Street and Constitution Avenue NW; 202-737-4215.*

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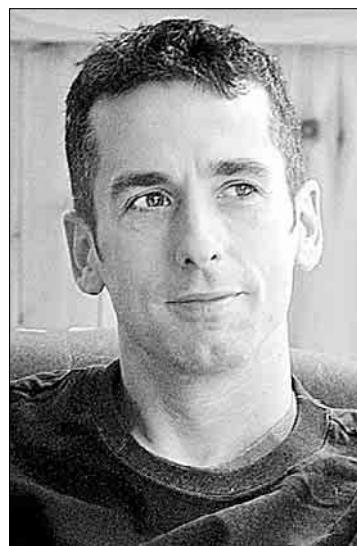
Savage Marriage

**Advice columnist
Dan Savage looks
at tying the knot**

PAGES | For every person who thinks gay marriage just isn't the will of Jehovah, there's another person wondering why it even ought to be a legitimate political issue: Boy meets boy, they fall in love and receive the blessing of the state — what could be more natural?

And then there's Dan Savage's son. Already the subject of "The Kid: What Happened After My Boyfriend and I Decided to Go Get Pregnant," the Li'l Savage figures prominently in the new sequel, "The Commitment: Love, Sex, Marriage, and My Family."

When fans of "Savage Love" descend on the Penn Quarter/Lansburgh Olsson's store for the nationally syndicated sex-advice columnist's Friday-night reading, they'll hear about a 6-year-old who's totally cool with having two daddies but stubbornly opposed to their getting hitched.



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TWO BE? Pondering The Question.

Savage can't figure where DJ picked up such a notion. It couldn't be from his Catholic grandparents; They've been nagging their son to make it official with his boyfriend, Terry, for years.

It turns out that, where DJ's coming from, marriage is something girls threaten boys with, should they catch them. Apparently,

on the playground, marriage is like cooties times infinity.

The happy couple are themselves initially ambivalent on the subject. Terry is more amenable to both of them getting "Property of" tattoos for their 10th anniversary. Meanwhile, Dan wonders whether making it official will jinx the relationship.

Then there's the unavoidable question of political significance. Is it retrograde for a gay man to want to join the wedded throng? Is it radical? Or merely contrary?

Or is marriage, as Dan's mother insists, the proper province of "a serious, grown-up, responsible person who should be mature enough to make a serious commitment to the person he chose to start a family with"?

Everybody involved eventually comes around. And in 50 years, perhaps the rest of the country will, too. GLENN DIXON

→ *Olsson's Penn Quarter, 418 7th St. NW; Fri., 7 p.m.; 202-638-7610. (Archives-Navy Memorial)*

Talking Back to Art

**A local artist asks
viewers to weigh in
on his exhibition**

GALLERIES | If, the last time you looked, art and criticism were the province of the elite, Andrew Wodzianski is about to change your mind. The D.C.-based artist is taking his work, its meanings and intentions straight to the people with an unusual interactive show.

For the exhibition of his paintings series "Lucha Libre!" opening at Fraser Gallery Georgetown, Wodzianski is providing an audio commentary podcast available for download before the show's opening reception on Friday. As listeners view the art and hear its story from the artist himself, they will naturally be forming opinions of Wodzianski's absurd but menac-



COURTESY OF THE ARTIST

HOW DO I LOOK? "Lucha Libre! No. 2," one of Wodzianski's creepy/funny paintings.

ing images of Mexican wrestlers.

The artist has worked with others to develop a free service which allows viewers with a cell phone to call and record a podcast of their own and to talk about the effect the work has on them. He'll pub-

lish them on his "Wodcast" Web site at wodcast.blogspot.com through Nov. 16. ARION BERGER (EXPRESS)

→ *Fraser Gallery Georgetown, 1054 31st St. NW; opens Fri., reception 6-9 p.m., through Nov. 16, 202-298-6450.*

The Scene

Sound

→ THURSDAY

Apex: College Night, 9 p.m., free with college ID, \$5 without.

Asylum: Official, Bleeder Resistor, Porch Mob, 10 p.m., \$5.

Birchmere: Hal Ketchum, Meghan Hayes, 7:30 p.m., \$25.

Black Cat: MN8 presents VHI Soul w/ Leela James, Sol Edler, 8:30 p.m., \$18.

Blues Alley: Pieces of a Dream, 8 & 10 p.m., \$27.50.

Crossroads: Massive B feat. Bobby Konders (homecoming special), 10 p.m., \$15 before 11.

DC9: Paul Michel, Goes Cube, the Black, 9:30 p.m., \$7.

Five: Latin party, 10 p.m., \$5.

Fur: DJ Tiesto, 10 p.m., \$25.

Improv: Adam Ferrara, 8:30 p.m., \$15.

Iota Club & Café: An Evening with Mary Gauthier, 9 p.m., \$12.

Jammin' Java: Toshi Reagon, Megan Slankard, 8 p.m., \$15.

Jaxx: Stand, Slivershot, ADHD, Bullistic, 8 p.m., \$10.

Nation: Zakk Wylde's Black Label Society, Brand New Sin, 8:30 p.m., \$25.

9:30: Senses Fail, Saves the Day, the Early November, 8:30 p.m., free.

Strathmore: Kenny Rogers, 8 p.m., \$49-\$64.

Republic Gardens: The Movement, 8 p.m., free.

Velvet Lounge: American Sinners, Hopewell, Alek Redfern and the Eyesores, 9 p.m., \$6.

Zanzibar: Magic 102.3 presents Floetry, 5 p.m., \$20.

→ FRIDAY

Apex: John Rizzo, 9 p.m., \$8.

Asylum: The Whips, The Sentiment, Velvet, 10 p.m., \$5.

Birchmere: America, David LaMotte, 7:30 p.m., \$55.

Black Cat: Nikki Costa, Driveblind, 9:30 p.m., \$15. DJ lil' e presents '80s alt-pop, 9:30 p.m., \$6 (backstage).

Blues Alley: Pieces of a Dream, 8 & 10 p.m., \$30.

Cafe Mawonaj: The Sordid Affair, Colin Spring, At the Spine, 8 p.m.

Club Amazon: Rare Essence, 10 p.m., \$10, ladies free before 11.

Crossroads: Xtatik, Machel Montano, (homecoming celebration), 5 p.m., free before 7 p.m.

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DC9: "Liberation Dance Party," 9:30 p.m., \$5.

Five: Roger Samuel, 9 p.m., \$10.

Fur: Ladies Night, 10 p.m., free before 11 p.m.

Improv: Adam Ferrara, 8 & 10:30 p.m., \$17.

Iota Club & Café: Brindley Brothers, No Second Troy, Taylor Carson, 9 p.m., \$10.

Jaxx: Frank Marino & Mahogany Rush, Punch Buggy, 7:30 p.m., \$25.

Nation: Cubik, 9 p.m.

9:30: Son Volt, Fruit Bats, 9:45 p.m., \$20.

Platinum: Plush with DJ Alize, 9 p.m., ladies free until midnight, \$10-\$15.

Republic Gardens: So Seductive, 6 p.m., \$10 before 10 p.m.

State Theatre: Steve Kimock Band, 9 p.m., \$21.

Strathmore: David Grisman Quintet, 8 p.m., \$19-\$40.

Velvet Lounge: Assrockers, Decibators, p:PClub, 10 p.m., \$8.

Warehouse Next Door: Pig Destroyer, Transistor Transistor, Pygmy Lush, Exce-lone, 7:30 p.m., \$5.

Zanzibar: Reggae, Latin & hip-hop, free before 7 p.m., \$15 after 11 p.m.

→ SATURDAY

Apex: "Liquid Ladies," 9 p.m., \$8.

Birchmere: America, David LaMotte, 7:30 p.m., \$55.

Black Cat: Ambulance LTD, We Are Scientists, 8:30 p.m., \$12. DJ Will Eastman

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TIM BURTON'S CORPSE BRIDE (PG) (2:10)
THE CONSTANT GARDENER (R) 10:30

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IN HER SHOES (PG-13) DIG (1240 300) 520 750 1015
WAITING (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (100) 700
OC & DA: IN HER SHOES (PG-13) DIG (100) 1000
WALLACE & GROMIT MOVIE (G) DIG (1220 250 515) 740 1000
TWO FOR THE MONEY (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (120 415) 705 950
THE GOSPEL (PG) DIG (12025 455) 725 1025
SERENITY (PG-13) DIG (115 405) 655 940
A HISTORY OF VIOLENCE (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (1210 230 455) 715 945
FLIGHTPLAN (PG-13) DIG (1205 225 445) 710 945
ROLL BOUNCE (PG-13) DIG (125 410) 640 920
THUMBSUCKER (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (140) 930
CORPSE BRIDE (PG) DIG (1235 225 440) 715 945
40 YEAR OLD VIRGIN (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (405) 645

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THE FOG (PG-13) DIG (1225 250 520) 750 1020
ELIZABETHTOWN (PG-13) DIG (125 415) 720 1000
IN HER SHOES (PG-13) DIG (1245 330) 650 940
IN HER SHOES (PG-13) DIG (120 420) 725 1020
WALLACE & GROMIT MOVIE (G) DIG (1220 1250 300 535 550) 730 815 1000
WALLACE & GROMIT MOVIE (G) DIG (115 400)
SERENITY (PG-13) DIG (100 430) 735 1015
SERENITY (PG-13) DIG (1210) 705 950
INTO THE BLUE (PG-13) DIG (1220 245 510) 740 1010
PROOF (PG-13) DIG (1215 230 450) 715 935
A HISTORY OF VIOLENCE (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (215 455) 720 945
FLIGHTPLAN (PG-13) DIG (215 455) 720 945
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THE FOG (PG-13) DIG (1205 425) 730 1035
DOMINO (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (105 405) 705 1005
ELIZABETHTOWN (PG-13) DIG (115 215 400 500) 700 800 940 1040
THE GOSPEL (PG) DIG (150 440) 725 1000
WALLACE & GROMIT MOVIE (G) DIG (100 345) 710 945
ROLL BOUNCE (PG-13) DIG (130 415) 740 1025
IN HER SHOES (PG-13) DIG (140 445) 745 1045
FLIGHTPLAN (PG-13) DIG (110 350) 715 950
TWO FOR THE MONEY (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (120 420) 740 1020
SERENITY (PG-13) DIG (135 435) 735 1030
A HISTORY OF VIOLENCE (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (145 430) 725 1005
CORPSE BRIDE (PG) DIG (200 505) 750 1020
DOOM (R) - ID REQ'D DIG 1201

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ELIZABETHTOWN (PG-13) DIG (100 400) 730 1015
IN HER SHOES (PG-13) DIG (1250 350) 710 1015
WALLACE & GROMIT MOVIE (G) DIG (115 340) 700 935
TWO FOR THE MONEY (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (1255 345) 715 1010
SERENITY (PG-13) DIG (120 410) 705 955
THE GREATEST GAME EVER PLAYED (PG) DIG (135 415) 735 950
A HISTORY OF VIOLENCE (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (140 420) 740 1005
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ELIZABETHTOWN (PG-13) DIG (120 420) 720 1020
DOMINO (R) - ID REQ'D DIG 1201
THE FOG (PG-13) DIG (130 430) 735 1030
WAITING (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (1150 215 440) 705 930
IN HER SHOES (PG-13) DIG (1150 210 435) 700 920
WALLACE & GROMIT MOVIE (G) DIG (125 425) 725 1025
TWO FOR THE MONEY (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (110 410) 710 1010
THE GOSPEL (PG) DIG (1200 1230 230 305 505 540) 740 815 1015
SERENITY (PG-13) DIG (200 450) 750 1035
GREATEST GAME EVER PLAYED (PG) DIG (1255 340) 625 900
INTO THE BLUE (PG-13) DIG (150 425) 700 935
FLIGHTPLAN (PG-13) DIG (105 500) 750 1020
ROLL BOUNCE (PG-13) DIG (100 310 520) 745 1000
CORPSE BRIDE (PG) DIG (1245)
JUST LIKE HEAVEN (PG-13) DIG (330) 620 905
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Adv. Tix on Sale SAW II (R) - ID REQ'D ★
DOOM (R) - ID REQ'D DIG 1201
ELIZABETHTOWN (PG-13) DIG (120 220 420 520) 720 820 1020
DOMINO (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (115 415) 720 1015
THE FOG (PG-13) DIG (215 500) 750 1020
SERENITY (PG-13) DIG (1240 340) 700 950
WAITING (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (1245 300 530) 810 1025
WALLACE & GROMIT MOVIE (G) DIG (1250 350) 630 910
IN HER SHOES (PG-13) DIG (110 240 410 540) 710 840 1010
TWO FOR THE MONEY (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (140 440) 740 1030
GREATEST GAME EVER PLAYED (PG) DIG (1210 310) 630 930
INTO THE BLUE (PG-13) DIG (230 515) 745 1015
PROOF (PG-13) DIG (130 430) 650 945
A HISTORY OF VIOLENCE (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (1220 320) 640 920
FLIGHTPLAN (PG-13) DIG (100 345) 650 940
ROLL BOUNCE (PG-13) DIG (210 510) 800 1030
CORPSE BRIDE (PG) DIG (1200 200 400) 620 850
JUST LIKE HEAVEN (PG-13) DIG (1230 330) 640 920
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THE FOG (PG-13) DIG (130 430) 715 945
ELIZABETHTOWN (PG-13) DIG (120 420) 720 1020
GOOD NIGHT AND GOOD LUCK (PG) DIG (155 405 440) 655 730 1000
WAITING (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (145 430) 745 1005
IN HER SHOES (PG-13) DIG (100 400) 705 1025
WALLACE & GROMIT MOVIE (G) DIG (140 425) 700 935
TWO FOR THE MONEY (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (135 435) 735 1035
SERENITY (PG-13) DIG (105 355) 650 940
GREATEST GAME EVER PLAYED (PG) DIG (110 330)
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FLIGHTPLAN (PG-13) DIG (125 410) 710 950
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DOMINO (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (120 420) 730 1020
INNOCENT VOICES (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (150 455) 740 1025
WAITING (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (240 520) 750 1005
SERENITY (PG-13) DIG (130 435) 720 1005
GREATEST GAME EVER PLAYED (PG) DIG (100 410) 700 940
INTO THE BLUE (PG-13) DIG (220 510) 755 1030
PROOF (PG-13) DIG (230 500) 735 1000
JUST LIKE HEAVEN (PG-13) DIG (210 445) 705 935
40 YEAR OLD VIRGIN (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (110 400) 710 950
WEDDING CRASHERS (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (140 440) 725 1010

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Adv. Tix on Sale SAW II (R) - ID REQ'D ★
ELIZABETHTOWN (PG-13) DIG (100 400) 700 950
THE FOG (PG-13) DIG (120 420) 715 1000
WALLACE & GROMIT MOVIE (G) DIG (100 200 345 445) 630 730 915 1015
DOMINO (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (115 415) 715 1020
SERENITY (PG-13) DIG (150 500) 750 1040
FLIGHTPLAN (PG-13) DIG (140 440) 745 1010
WAITING (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (200 450) 740 1000
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TWO FOR THE MONEY (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (130 430) 730 1030
GREATEST GAME EVER PLAYED (PG) DIG (110 410) 710 1000
INTO THE BLUE (PG-13) DIG 1000
A HISTORY OF VIOLENCE (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (150 430) 720 1010
ROLL BOUNCE (PG-13) DIG (140 440) 710 1015
CORPSE BRIDE (PG) DIG (130 400) 700 930

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Adv. Tix on Sale SAW II (R) - ID REQ'D ★
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ELIZABETHTOWN (PG-13) DIG (140 430) 745 1010
WAITING (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (130 415) 730 1015
IN HER SHOES (PG-13) DIG (100 400) 700 1000
WALLACE & GROMIT MOVIE (G) DIG (100 200 425) 630 730 950
THE GOSPEL (PG) DIG (140 430) 745 1015
TWO FOR THE MONEY (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (120 400) 720 1005
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A HISTORY OF VIOLENCE (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (200 500) 815 1025
FLIGHTPLAN (PG-13) DIG (150 445) 800 1020
CORPSE BRIDE (PG) DIG (215 500) 815 1030
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DOMINO (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (1220 330) 720 1015
THE FOG (PG-13) DIG (1150 220 445) 740 1005
WAITING (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (115 415) 810 1025
IN HER SHOES (PG-13) DIG (1240 340) 700 951
WALLACE & GROMIT MOVIE (G) DIG (1140 1250 205 320 430) 600 715 940
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A HISTORY OF VIOLENCE (R) - ID REQ'D DIG (1205 230 455) 750 1010
FLIGHTPLAN (PG-13) DIG (100 355) 735 1000
ROLL BOUNCE (PG-13) DIG (1235 315) 650 925
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BROKEN FLOWERS (R) 4:40, 9:50
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GOOD NIGHT, AND GOOD LUCK (PG)
1:30, 2:30, 3:50, 4:45,
7:00, 7:55, 9:15, 10:00
INNOCENT VOICES (R)
1:40, 4:10, 7:05, 9:40
SEPARATE LIES (R)
1:55, 4:00, 7:20, 9:30
PROOF (PG-13)
2:05, 4:30, 7:15, 9:45
JUNEBUG (R) 1:45, 7:10
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12:10, 2:10, 4:20, 7:50, 9:45
PROOF (R)
12:00, 2:30, 4:40, 7:30, 9:40
SEPARATE LIES (R)
12:30, 2:45, 5:10, 8:00, 9:50
IN HER SHOES (PG-13)
11:40, 2:20, 5:00, 7:40, 10:10
WALLACE & GROMIT: THE CURSE
OF THE WERE-RABBIT (G)
12:20, 2:35, 4:45, 7:20, 9:20
THE CONSTANT GARDENER (R)
11:50, 2:25, 4:55, 7:35, 10:00

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SEPARATE LIES (R)

2:30, 5:00, 7:30, 9:55

GOOD NIGHT AND GOOD LUCK (PG)

2:10, 3:00, 4:30, 5:20

7:00, 7:40, 9:20, 9:50

INNOCENT VOICES (R)

2:05, 4:35, 7:10, 9:45

THE WAR WITHIN (NR)

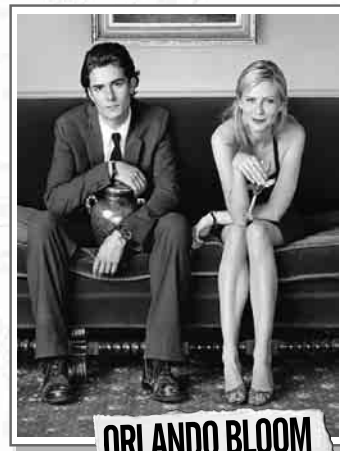
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TONY TAKITANI (NR)

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PROOF (PG-13)

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GOOD NIGHT, AND GOOD LUCK (PG) 12:45, 1:45, 3:45,
4:45, 6:45, 7:45, 9:45
THE FOG (PG13) ✓ 1:15, 2:15, 4:15, 5:15, 7:15, 8:15, 10:15
THE GOSPEL (PG) 1:05, 4:05, 7:05, 10:05
IN HER SHOES (PG) 1:05, 4:05, 7:05, 10:05
IN HER SHOES (PG) 12:00, 1:30, 3:30, 5:00, 7:00, 8:30, 10:30
WAITING (R) 12:15, 3:15, 7:30, 10:00
WALLACE & GROMIT: THE CURSE OF THE WERE-
RABBIT (G) 12:30, 1:30, 3:00, 4:00, 5:30, 6:30, 8:00, 10:30
THE GREATEST GAME EVER PLAYED (PG) 12:10, 3:10,
7:10, 10:10
A HISTORY OF VIOLENCE (R) 12:50, 3:50, 7:20, 9:55
INTO THE BLUE (PG13) 1:10, 4:10, 7:10, 10:10
SERENITY (PG13) 1:25, 4:25, 7:25, 8:25, 10:25
PROOF (PG13) 12:05, 3:05, 7:35, 10:20
ROLL BOUNCE (PG13) 9:15 PM
MARCH OF THE PENGUINS (G) 12:00, 2:30, 5:00

HOFFMANN CENTER 22

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DOMINO (R) ✓ 1:45, 4:45, 7:45
ELIZABETHTOWN (PG13) ✓ 1:00, 4:00, 7:15, 10:25
THE FOG (PG13) ✓ 1:55, 2:55, 4:45, 5:35, 7:30, 8:20, 10:10
THE GOSPEL (PG) 1:15, 2:30, 4:00, 5:00, 7:00, 8:00, 9:45, 10:30
IN HER SHOES (PG13) 1:20, 4:20, 7:20, 10:25
TWO FOR THE MONEY (R) 1:00, 4:05, 7:05, 10:00
WAITING (R) 2:00, 4:55, 7:40, 10:15
WALLACE & GROMIT: THE CURSE OF THE WERE-
RABBIT (G) 1:30, 2:30, 3:45, 5:55, 7:30, 8:30, 9:35
THE GREATEST GAME EVER PLAYED (PG) 1:50, 4:35,
7:35, 10:15
A HISTORY OF VIOLENCE (R) 2:55, 5:25, 7:55, 10:15
INTO THE BLUE (PG13) 2:10, 4:50, 7:45, 10:20
SERENITY (PG13) 2:15, 5:15, 8:15
FLIGHTPLAN (PG13) 2:00, 4:40, 7:25, 10:05
ROLL BOUNCE (PG13) 1:10, 4:05, 7:10, 9:55
TIM BURTON'S CORPSE BRIDE (PG) 2:25, 5:05, 7:25, 9:45
GREEN STREET HOOLIGANS (R) ✓ 1:30, 4:35, 8:00, 10:35
JUST LIKE HEAVEN (PG13) 2:20, 5:10, 7:40, 10:10
THE EXORCISM OF EMILY ROSE (PG13) 1:55, 7:35
THE 40 YEAR-OLD VIRGIN (R) 4:40, 10:20
FOUR BROTHERS (R) 2:05, 4:35, 7:20, 9:50

UNION STATION 9

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DOMINO (R) ✓ 2:05, 4:50, 8:00
ELIZABETHTOWN (PG13) ✓ 2:10, 5:15, 8:10
THE FOG (PG13) ✓ 2:15, 5:10, 7:45
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FLIGHTPLAN (PG13) 2:30, 5:40, 8:10
ROLL BOUNCE (PG13) 4:30
TIM BURTON'S CORPSE BRIDE (PG) 2:35

COLUMBIA MALL 14

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DOMINO (R) ✓ 1:35, 4:30, 7:30, 10:25
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SPRINGFIELD MALL 10

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DOMINO (R) ✓ 5:00, 8:15
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COUNTRY CLUB MALL 6

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ELIZABETHTOWN (PG13) ✓ 5:30, 8:05
THE FOG (PG13) ✓ 5:45, 8:15
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POTOMAC MILLS 18

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THE CONSTANT GARDENER (R) 2:25, 7:55

COURTHOUSE PLAZA 8

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DOMINO (R) ✓ 2:50, 5:35, 8:15
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WAITING (R) 3:30, 5:40, 8:20
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LORD OF WAR (R) 5:00
THUMBSUCKER (R) 2:40, 7:45

ACADEMY 8

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The Way to an Osbourne's Heart...

➔ **PREPARE FOR BREWTALITY:** Zakk Wylde's Black Label Society will overrun Nation Thursday night. Wylde is a bearded, perpetually drunk, motorcycle-riding tough guy who parlayed a stint as Ozzy Osbourne's teenage drug-dealer into a job playing-guitar for the metal icon. Or so he claims. After several albums and tours with Osbourne and a public flirtation with joining Guns N' Roses, Wylde (his real name) formed his own band, Black Label Society. Those who attended an Ozzfest gig over the past three years have probably seen BLS flex their southern-flavored Sabbath observance on the main stage. Thursday's appearance is in support of their new compilation, "Kings of Damnation." **TIM FOLLOS**

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9:30 Club: 815 V St. NW; 202-265-0930.

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State Theatre: 220 N. Washington St., Falls Church; 703-237-0300.

U-Turn: 11th & U streets NW; 202-299-9882.

Velvet Lounge: 915 U St. NW; 202-462-3213.

Warehouse Next Door: 1017 7th St. NW; 202-783-3933.

Zanzibar: 700 Water St. NW; 202-554-9100.

TheScene

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State Theatre: Yonder Mountain String Band, 9 p.m., \$20.

Strathmore: National Philharmonic presents Richard Stoltzman, 8 p.m., \$25-\$80, kids under 17 free.

U-Turn: The Boils, the Alleged Bricks, Goldblade, On the Run, 10 p.m., \$7.

Velvet Lounge: and A few to a Break, the Voids, Moan, 10 p.m., \$8.

Warehouse Next Door: A Day in Black & White (CD Release), Navies, Hugh McElroy, I Control the Dinosaurs, Night Rally, DJ Fabletooth, 7:30 p.m., \$5.

Zanzibar: Howard Homecoming, 5 p.m., \$20, ladies free before 10 p.m.

➔ SUNDAY

Birchmere: Rene Marie, 7:30 p.m., \$25.

Black Cat: Local H, Riddle of Steel, Skyline Drive, 8:30 p.m., \$12.

Blues Alley: Pieces of a Dream, 8 & 10 p.m., \$27.50.

Crossroads: Dancehall, 10 p.m., \$20 before 11.

DC9: Alcian Blue, Five Four, Loaded Dreams, Rob Motejo, 9:30 p.m., \$7.

Five: Trade, 9 p.m.

Galaxy Hut: Physics of Meaning, Carol Bui, 9:45 p.m., \$5.

George Mason University: Marvin Hamlisch, The Broadway Songbook, 7 p.m., \$20-\$40.

Improv: Adam Ferrara, 8:30 p.m., \$15.

Iota Club & Café: Ralph's World (kid's show), 11 a.m. & 3 p.m., \$10. Los Straight-jackets with Big Sandy, 8:30 p.m., \$16.

Jammin' Java: Jesse Young (of the Youngbloods) 8 p.m., \$20 in advance.

9:30: Death Cab for Cuties, Stars, 8:45 p.m., sold out.

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GOD WHAT AWFUL RACKET: Scholars argue over whether Richmond or Antarctica gave us GWAR. This much is sure: The comedy band fills a niche—with fake bodily fluids. GWAR's 20th anniversary tour soaks the 9:30 Saturday.

TheScene

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Republic Gardens: Industry Review with Secret Society, 8 p.m., \$10.

Strathmore: Midori & Charles Abramovic, 7 p.m., \$55.

Velvet Lounge: Rebirth Brass Band, 9 p.m., \$6.

Warehouse Next Door: Pash, A New Spelling of My Name, Amestory, 8:30 p.m., \$10.

Sight

LAST CHANCE Anne C. Fisher Gallery: Curvaceous: a celebration of the curve, through Oct. 15. PostSecret: people share secrets anonymously, ongoing. 1054 31st St. NW; 202-625-7555.

Arlington Arts Center: Oil Painted Animations: Scott Hutchison's self-portraits, through Nov. 5. Other galleries offer six solo shows, through Nov. 5. 550 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, VA.; 703-248-6800.

LAST CHANCE Conner Contemporary Art: Mary Coble: Note to Self, tattoo project in honor of GLBT hate-crime vic-

tims, through Oct. 22. Homo Bulla (Man Is a Bubble), digitally manipulated photos, through Oct. 22. Found Sound, part of a city-wide art installation, through Nov. 5. 1730 Connecticut Ave. NW; 202-588-8750.

LAST CHANCE Corcoran Gallery of Art: Antoine Louis Barye Bronzes, through Oct. 23. William MaLeod: Painter and Curator, the Corcoran's first curator, through Nov. 6. Encouraging American Genius, the gallery's famous pre-1945 paintings, through Jan. 2. Sam Gilliam, A Retrospective, through Jan. 22. Warhol Legacy, through Feb. 2. 500 17th St. NW; 202-639-1700.

Cultural Institute of Mexico: Mirrors: Contemporary Mexican Artists in the U.S., through Nov. 30. 2829 16th St. NW; 202-728-1628.

D.C. Arts Center: 296 pieces from teens attending the Duke Ellington School of the Arts, through Nov. 6. 2438 18th St. NW; 202-462-7833.

LAST CHANCE Flashpoint: Seth Adelsberger: Iconographic Sampler, through Oct. 22. 916 G St.; 202-315-1310.

Folger Shakespeare Library: Consuming Splendor: Luxury Goods in England (1580-1680), through Dec. 31. 201 East Capitol St. NE; 202-544-4600.

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WED 26	DAMIEN C. TAYLOR \$5
THU 27	PEOPLE CHASING PEOPLE, THE MONORAIL \$5
FRI 28	MN8 MASQUERADE BALL LOS AMIGOS INVISIBLES, DJ AFRO
FRI 28	FIRST LADIES DJ COLLECTIVE \$5
SAT 29	MEDICATIONS WILDERNESS, CINEMECHANICA
SAT 29	RAZZMATAZZ
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SUN 30	FOUR LETTER LIES
MON 31	NITRO TOKYO

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SAT 12	BROADCAST GRAVENHURST, TRALALA
MON 14	RIS PAUL RIC
TUE 15	MURDER BY DEATH THE LIFE & TIMES
THU 17	ANDREW BIRD HEAD OF FEMUR
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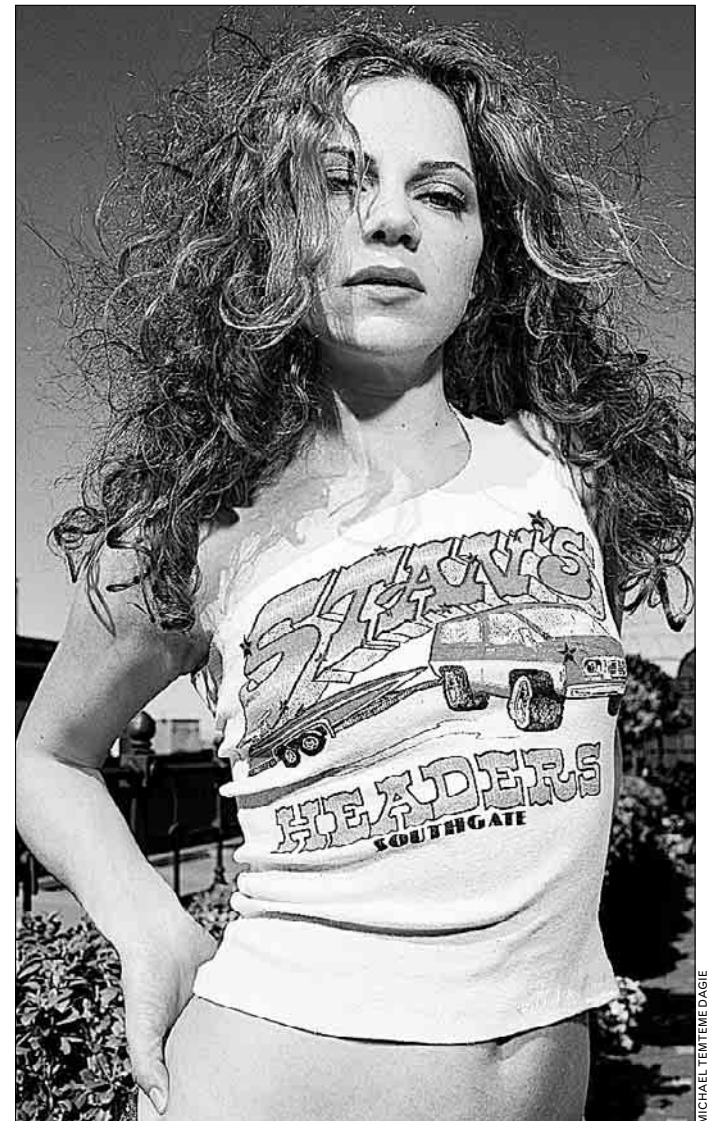
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TheScene

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Fraser Gallery Georgetown: Andrew Wodzianski's slightly disturbing paintings about Mexican wrestling, featuring 21st century methods of responding to the exhibit, Fri. through Nov. 16. 1054 31st St. NW; 202-298-6450.

LAST CHANCE Freer Gallery of Art/ Arthur M. Sackler Gallery: Rusticity Refined: Kyoto Ceramics by Ninsei, through Oct. 23. Games, Contests and Artful Play in Japan, through Oct. 23. Gold, the Asian Touch, Feb. 19. Perspectives: Mei Ling Hom, a site-specific installation, through March 5. Chinese Music and the Visual Arts, through March 26. Jefferson Drive & 12th Street SW; 202-633-4880.

LAST CHANCE FuseBox DC: Kendall Buster: Model City, a science-oriented installation, through Oct. 22. 1412 14th St. NW; 202-299-9220.

Gateway's Heliport Gallery: Telling Their Stories, through Nov. 8. 8001 Kennett St., Suite 3, Silver Spring; 301-562-1400.

LAST CHANCE Goethe-Institute: Oskar Fischinger: Motion Paintings, the German-born pioneer of abstract animation, through Oct. 26. 812 7th St. NW; 202-289-1200.

Hemphill Fine Arts: Renee Stout's Fragments of a Secret Life, through Oct. 29. Joseph Mills: Anarch Angel, through Oct. 29. 1515 14th St. NW; 202-234-5601.

Hillwood Museum: Eva Zeisel: The Playful Search for Beauty, through Dec. 4. 1227 34th St. NW; 202-686-5807.

Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture

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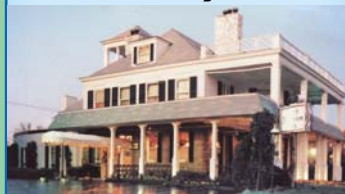
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featuring sides of smoked tofu bacon and grits.

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Small plates include chili risotto croquettes and corn zucchini beignets. Jerked tempeh, sesame-crust-ed goat-cheese-and-sun-dried-tomato tart are offered as large plates. There is also a brunch menu,

City, on Nov. 14 downtown and Nov. 15 in Bethesda. Reservations are required (call the location that you want to attend), and the cost is \$85 per person, exclusive of tax and gratuity. The cost includes an autographed copy of his new cookbook.

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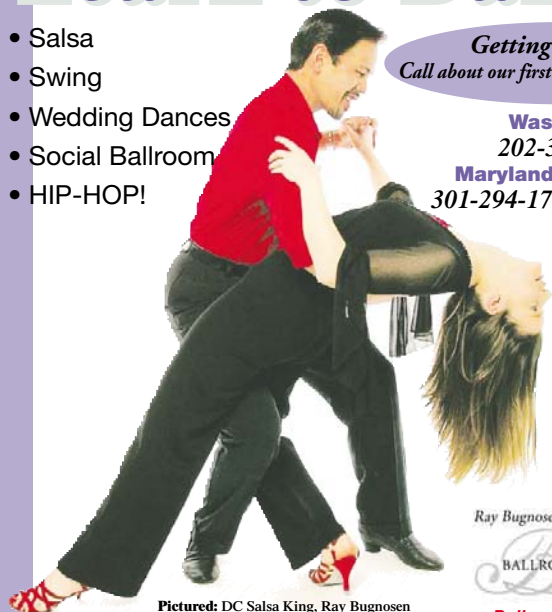
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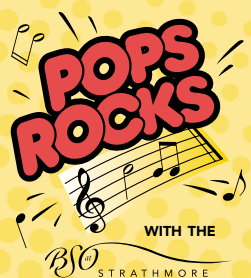
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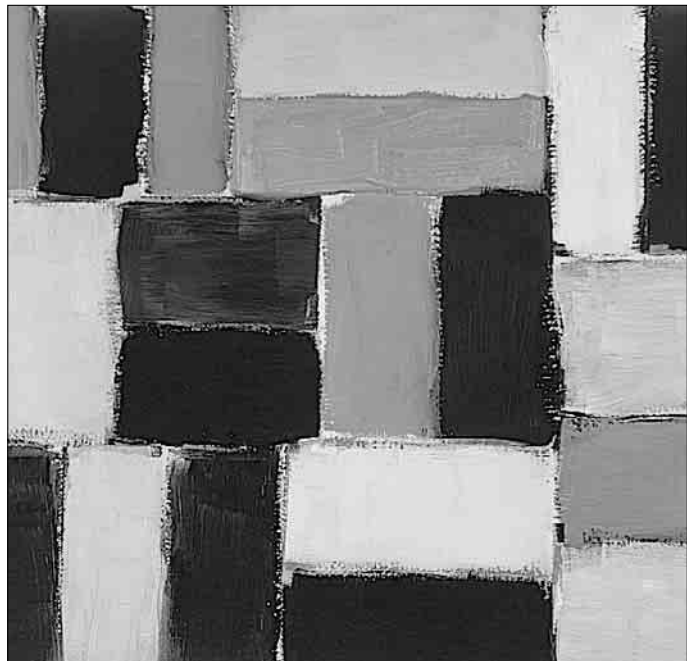
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Kathleen Ewing Gallery: Athlete/

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Katzen Arts Center: Five grand openings Friday. A First Look: David Bates,

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National Air and Space Museum:

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357-2700.

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Washington: Scrapbook of an American Community, through Jan. 8. Liquid Stone: New Architecture in Concrete, through Jan. 29. 401 F St. NW; 202-272-2448.

National Gallery of Art: Origins of European Printmaking: 15th-Century Wood-

cuts and Their Public, through Nov. 27. Monumental Sculpture in Florence: restored 15th-century works by Ghiberti, di Banco and del Verrocchio, through Dec. 31. Pieter Claesz: Master of Harlem Still Life, through Dec. 31. The Prints of Felix Buhot: Impressions of City and Sea, through Feb. 20. Winslow Homer, through Feb. 20. Asher B. Durand's Kindred Spirits, through Feb. 28. Audubon's Dream Realized: Selections from "The Birds of America," through April 2. 600 Constitution Ave. NW; 202-737-4215.

National Geographic Society: Africa

MegaFlyover: aerial photos and more from biologist J. Michael Fay, through Oct. 30. Napoleonic Artifacts: from a letter he wrote as a teen to his hair, through Jan. 2. 17th & M streets NW; 202-857-7588.

National Museum of American History:

Azúcar! The Life and Music of Celia Cruz, through Dec. 31. The American Industrial Revolution, ongoing. The Star-Spangled Banner, ongoing. 14th Street and Constitution Avenue NW; 202-633-1000.

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Post-Colonial Visions in Art, Cinema and Social Activism, works in various media at several sites, through Oct. 27. 202-299-0460.

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art journals Mary Isham kept while she recovered from cancer surgery, through Nov. 19. 303 Pennsylvania Ave. SE; 202-543-2286.

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Watson's Fibres of Memory, through Nov. 3. Liani Foster's prints on silk, through Nov. 3. 8230 Georgia Ave., Silver Spring; 301-608-9101.

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SATURDAY ONLY Efficiency: Local dancer-choreographer Jane Jerardi integrates video of D.C. life into experimental choreography, \$25. GALA Theatre-Tivoli, 3333 14th St. NW; 202-234-7174.

For the Pleasure of Seeing Her

Again: Michel Tremblay's well-received homage to his mother, through Nov. 27, \$35-\$40. MetroStage, 1201 North Royal St., Alexandria; 703-548-9044.

LAST CHANCE The Gondoliers: Gilbert and Sullivan's comic opera, through Oct. 22, \$15. Mount Vernon Players Theatre, 900 Mass. Ave. NW; 202-783-7600.

LAST CHANCE Hilda: The acclaimed new play about a woman's obsession with her servant, through Oct. 23, pay-what-you-can show Sat., \$37-\$52. Studio Theater, 14th & P Streets NW; 202-332-3300.

Justo en lo Mejor de mi Vida (Just at

Life's Best Moment): A dark comedy exploring family and the afterlife by Alicia Muñoz, through Nov. 12, \$15-\$35.

THIS WEEKEND ONLY: Kiki & Herb:

The Resurrection Tour, the outrageous cabaret duo the New York Times called "grand, vicacious and sordid" perform the musical-and-commentary act "Pardon Our Appearance." \$40-\$48. Woolly Mammoth, 641 D St. NW; 202-393-3939.

LAST CHANCE Leading Ladies:

Romantic comedy starring pop-culture icon John Astin, through Oct. 23, \$25-\$52. Ford's Theatre, 511 10th St. NW; 202-347-4833.

Morning's at Seven: Four senior sisters live in the same neighborhood, all heck breaks loose, comedic drama ensues, through Oct. 30, \$15-39. Olney Theatre, 2001 Olney-Sandy Spring Road, Olney; 301-924-4485.

Much Ado About Nothing: Perhaps the Bard's finest comedy, set in post-war England, through Nov. 27, \$25-\$49. 201 East Capitol St. NE; 202-544-4600.

No Exit: Scena Theatre presents Sartre's terrifying look at three people joined in the afterlife, through Nov. 20, \$25-\$30.

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TIMELESS COMEDY: Folger Shakespeare Theater shines new on deception, romance and sexual politics with Shakespeare's comedy "Much Ado About Nothing." It will have audience members asking, "Can I seeth this again?"

Warehouse Theatre, 1017 7th St. NW; 202-783-3933.

Othello: Shakespeare's tragedy of jealousy and vengeance, through Oct. 30, \$14.25-\$71.25. Shakespeare Theatre Company, 450 7th St. NW; 202-547-1122.

THIS WEEKEND ONLY Piñata: Brian Brooks Moving Company choreographs in kinetic color, \$30, Calrice Smith Center for the Arts, University of Maryland, College Park, Md., Route 193 & Stadium Drive; 301-405-2787.

Poe 2000: Meat and Potato Theater Company presents Edgar Allen's eerie works in varied updated contexts, just in time for Halloween, through Oct. 30, \$15. Playbill Cafe, 1409 14th St. NW; 703-587-5730.

Uncle Vanya: The GMU Players present Anton Chekhov's fraught family drama, Fri. through Oct. 30, \$10 general admission, \$7 students and seniors. George Mason University, Harris Theatre; 703-993-888.

You Are Here: Daniel MacIvor's minimalist drama about movie stars, writers, infidelity and failure, through Nov. 13, \$25. The H Street Playhouse, 1365 H Street, NE; 800-494-8497.

Gnever had gnocchi? Then you're in for a gnice surprise. Gnocchi is how Italy does the potato dumpling. And as you can probably guess, the g is silent. But the flavor is anything but. Add tender burgundy braised beef, a splash of cream, a little onion, mushroom and sweet red pepper, and you've got a taste of Italian heaven. Don't wait to try it, our Gnocchi dish is only available for a limited time. After that, it's arrivederci.

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WHAT DO YOU WANNA DO TONIGHT? BY FRITZ HAHN, RHOME ANDERSON AND DAVID MALITZ

THURSDAY

Many electronic dance music magazines run "Best DJ" contests, and if you're going to believe any of them, it probably should be DJ Magazine. For three years straight, the British publication's readers have tapped Dutch DJ Tiesto as the best in the business. He brings his melodic trance to **FUR** tonight. Tickets are \$30 in advance from clubglow.com, and these allegedly include a "no line, no wait" VIP entrance. Word to the wise: Call in sick on Friday: Tiesto's spinning from midnight until 4 a.m.

As **RED** enters its final weekend, a number of residents past and present take to the turntables for special farewell sets. Tonight, Tom B spins his blend of smooth house music, and, interestingly, he's paired with the 2Tuff Soundsystem, the guys who ran the club's Rudebwoy Shuffle and Lab events, which focused on drum 'n' bass records.

If you didn't get a jump start on Howard Homecoming madness with Big Tigger at Home, you still have a chance to ease into the fray as **AVENUE** will be hosting HU alums tonight. No big names, just a big party. Hit eVIPlist.com to get the free-before-11 pass.

MIRRORS has been making power moves lately, working overtime to get everyone on the young urban arts scene under one umbrella. Soul Stew is the latest to join the movement, bringing its mix of old school R&B, dance classics and soulful house party to Mirrors from Zuccharbar, beginning tonight.

FRIDAY

Howard's Homecoming Weekend gets underway with a number of events to choose from. Diddy is holding court at **LOVE** and you'll pay to party with him: Tickets are \$30 for general admission or \$75 for VIP access, or you can buy two-night passes that also allow access to Usher's Saturday night soiree. Young Jeezy, the mixtape sensation whose first album, "Let's Get It: Thug Motivation 101," went platinum thanks to collaborations like "Go Crazy" (with Jay-Z) and "Soul Survivor" (with Akon), is playing, appropriately enough, at Platinum. Or you can just head for U Street and watch the elaborately dressed folks and spinning rims go by.



HATS OFF: Usher will play host at Saturday night's super-swank jam at Love.



Talib Kweli will be rocking Bar Nun on Friday night with W. Ellington Felton.

It is indeed true that Talib Kweli, one of the most gifted MCs of the past decade, will be rocking a set at **BAR NUN** tonight. Resident lounge DJ W. Ellington Felton performs at 9 p.m. as a warm-up, but he also has the potential to bring down the house. DJ Jealousy holds down all the club hits in the main room after the show.

SATURDAY

Your Saturday night Howard Homecoming Rundown: Doe-eyed R&B crooner Usher is hosting the party at **LOVE** (yeah!). Diddy, meanwhile, moves his traveling circus over to **H2O**, where they're tenting the area outside the club and stocking up on bottles of Cristal.

Arrive early and dress to impress the people who dress to impress. Jadakiss is representing the Ruff Ryders at **REPUBLIC GARDENS**; get there between 6 and 9 p.m. for half-price martinis and half-price rail drinks hosted by the Howard University School of Law alumni.

The Syntetic Theater has been winning great reviews for its current production of "Dracula," which makes us curious about the company's **VAMPIRE BALL** tonight. The press release claims it will be "the most creative gothic party in town," with a costume contest and "blood-laced cocktails." Tickets are \$40 and available from www.syntetictheater.org.

Congratulations to Mass Transit, the electronic dance-music party celebrating a year of bringing top DJs to the Virginia suburbs and offering promising young talent a place to shine. You can hear both tonight at **BRIDGES**, where 15-year-old DJ Knat opens the night and Scott Henry holds down a set from midnight to 3 a.m. Admission is \$5 before 10 p.m. and \$10 after. Arrive early for free mix CDs and party favors.

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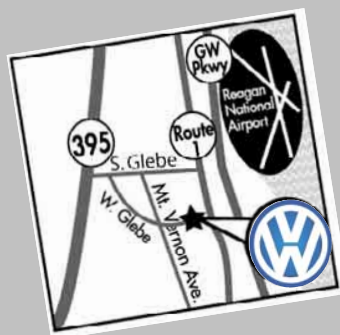
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